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## SENATOR LODGE MAKES ATTACK ON THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS COVENANT

Washington, Feb. 28.—President Wilson's league of nations covenant calls the American people away from Washington's doctrine to those of Trotsky, Senator Lodge, Republican leader asserted in a speech to the senate today.

Criticism of the proposed constitution, Lodge said, however, does not extend to all plans for a league of nations.

"Everybody hates war and longs to make it impossible," said Lodge.

"We ought to lay aside once and for all the suggestion that because men may differ as to the best method of assuring the world's peace in the future any one is against permanent peace if it can be obtained among all the nations of mankind."

"I will follow any man and vote for any measures which in my honest opinion will make for the maintenance of the world's peace. I will follow no man and vote for no measure, which, however well intended, seem in my best judgment to lead to dissensions rather than to harmony among the nations, or to peril, injury or injustice to my own country."

Lodge said that in a matter so vital to the world there should be no foggy meanings, need for explanations. The agreement, he said, "must be so plain and so explicit that no man can misunderstand it."

"In the draft prepared for a constitution of a League of Nations there is hardly a clause about the interpretation of which men do not already differ. As it stands there is danger that the very nations which sign the constitution of the league will differ about the meaning of the various articles within a twelve-month. It seems to have been very hastily

drafted and the result is crudeness and looseness of expression.

"I press this point because you cannot find world peace upon the cynical 'scrap of paper' doctrine, so dear to Germany. There is nothing so vital to the peace of the world as the sanctity of treaties. To what ever instrument the United States agrees, it must carry out the provisions of that instrument to the last jot and tittle, therefore the language in which the terms are stated must be as exact and precise and as free from any possibility of conflicting interpretations as it is possible to make them."

"The explanation or interpretation of any of these doubtful passages is not sufficient if made by one man, whether that man be the President of the United States or a senator or any one else."

Lodge directly answered President Wilson's personal explanation of the constitution's provisions regarding the Monroe doctrine by saying:

"How any one can say that article ten extends the Monroe doctrine to all the world passes my comprehension."

"If you extend the Monroe doctrine, to all the world, it ceases to exist because it rests on nothing but the differentiation of the American hemisphere from the rest of the world."

"Under this draft, Europe will have the right to take part in the settlement of American questions and we, of course, shall have the right to take part in the settlement of all questions in Europe and Asia and Africa."

"Europe and Asia are to take part in policing the American continent and the Panama Canal and in return we are to have the right to police the Balkans and Asia Minor when we are asked to do so."

## TWELVE ROOM HOUSE BURNS AT SPRING VALLEY

Aided by a strong wind, fire quickly swept over the large twelve room frame dwelling on the Alexander farm a half mile east of Spring Valley shortly before noon Friday, completely destroying the residence and practically all of the contents.

The loss will amount to about \$5000, which is partly covered by insurance with S. B. LeSourd & Co. Two pianos and a small amount of furniture was all that was saved from the flames, which swept everything in its path, despite volunteer fire fighters, who used bucket brigades, mud and salt in an effort to stem the blaze.

The house was a large frame building, the old Alexander homestead, and was occupied by Mrs. Sadie Alexander and by her son, Lawrence Alexander and family. The house was remodeled only a few years ago and was in good condition. The family discovered the fire while eating dinner at noon, and an investigation showed that the roof was on fire. So strong was the wind, that it fanned the flames rapidly, and they completely gutted the building, before anything could be done to stem the conflagration or remove any of the contents. Neighbors volunteering assistance helped get the two pianos and several other articles of furniture out and assisted in fighting the flames by throwing water until the wells gave out, when they threw mud and salt on the flames. Through supreme efforts of the fire fighters, they saved all the outbuildings, including a shed near the house, which was repeatedly threatened. In a short time the wind and flames had left the house a complete mass of ruins.

The house was an old one, but had been remodeled in recent years, and the estimated loss will be easily twice as much as the insurance. S. B. LeSourd and Co. have \$2,500 insurance on the house and \$825 on the contents. It is thought that a new house will be erected on the premises as soon as possible.

## C. L. JOBE IS NOW RESTING EASILY

C. L. Jobe, who was severely hurt when he fell through a trap door opening into the basement at the Jobe store, Thursday forenoon, was resting easily Friday, and it is thought by his physician that his injuries are confined to the scalp wound in the back of his head. This wound is several inches long, and the scalp was torn loose from the head for some distance, making the wound very painful. In falling it is thought that Mr. Jobe's head struck the cement steps at the foot of the stairway, causing his severe scalp wound.

## SPLENDID ADDITION TO HOOD COLLEGE

"School Life" a little magazine published twice each month by the Department of the Interior, bureau of education at Washington contains in a recent issue a page article accompanied by a first floor plan of a new Home Economics Practice Cottage at Hood college at Frederick, Maryland. Xenia people will be interested in the article because of the fact that Prof. Apple who is very well known here, is the head of this famous educational institution. This new Home Economics Practice Cottage furnishes a splendid addition to Hood college and fills a much needed want. It is known as the David Strawn Cottage after the donor. The building cost about \$12,000 including heating plant, lighting fixtures, etc. The building was begun last May and was dedicated November 20th. It was occupied before the Christmas holidays and has been used continuously since by seniors in the home economics department.

## WHEAT MEASURE PASSES SENATE

Washington, Feb. 28.—The administration bill appropriating \$1,000,000,000 to fulfill the government's guaranteed wheat price to the farmer for the 1919 crop was passed at 12:30 o'clock this morning by the senate without material amendment and now goes to conference.

## HUNGARY TO TRY THOSE GUILTY OF STARTING WAR

Budapest, Feb. 28.—The Hungarian government planned today to start criminal prosecution of officials responsible for the war. The first to be tried, it was said, will be former Chancellor Berehtold and Count Forgach. Berehtold is understood to be living in isolation at Lake Thun, Switzerland.

## WANTS CLENDENING NAMED

Columbus, Feb. 28.—It was learned at the state house today that Senator Pomerene has asked President Wilson to name Byron Clendening to the vacancy on the Inter-state commerce commission.

Clelending is now member of state public utilities commission.

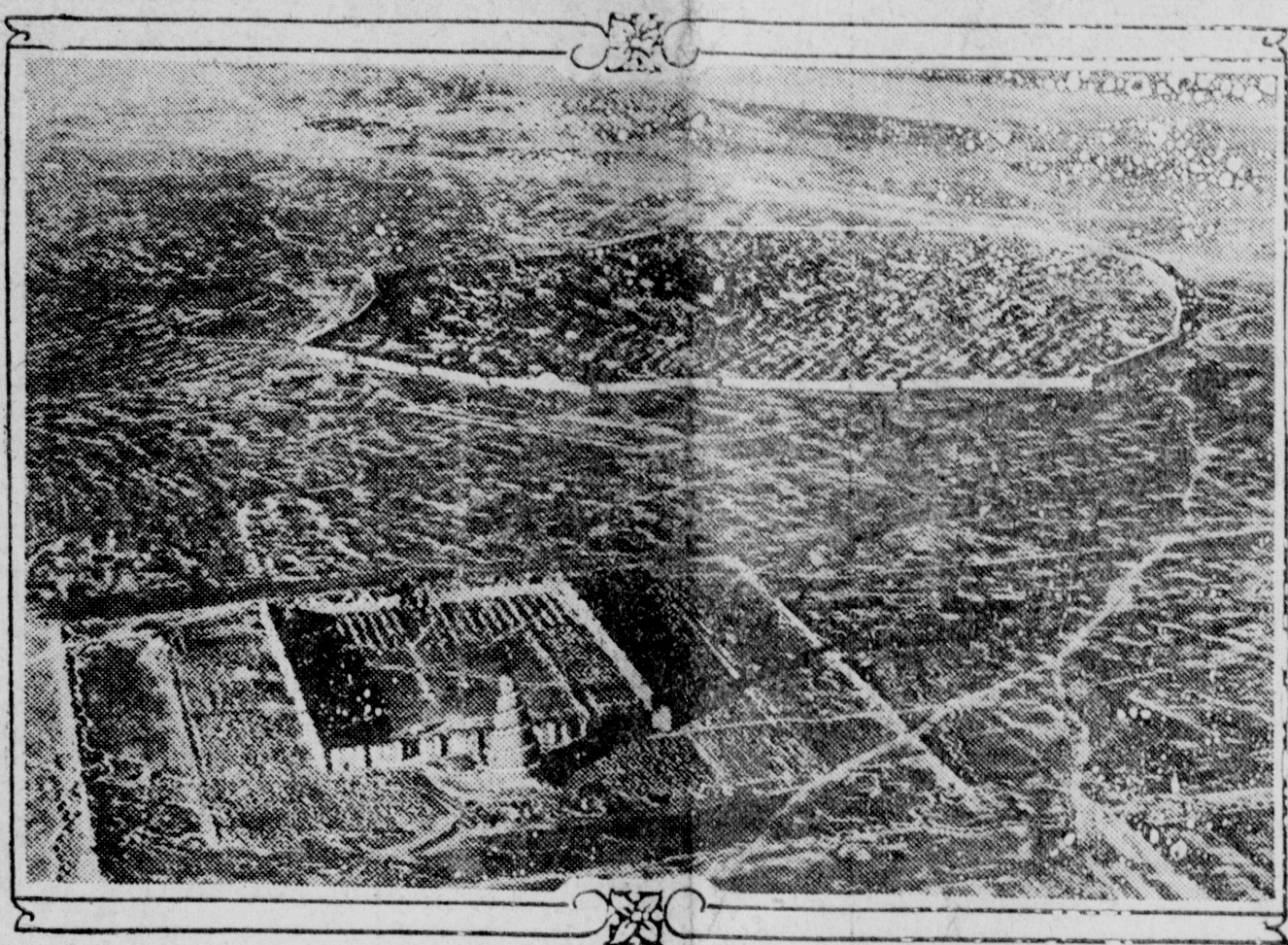
## SOUNDS LIKE BOAT RACE

Waukegan, Ill., Feb. 28.—Fred Bruck, running for mayor, sprained his ankle. He is out of the race.

## STICK TO CHICKENS

Chicago, Feb. 28.—"Stick to chickens," the judge advised Edward Clements, negro, caught stealing a duck, a can of peas and a napkin.

## HOW STRANGE LANDS WILL LOOK TO THE AIR TOURIST



Sacred city of Samarra, as seen from an airplane.

The air voyager of the future will get a far different glimpse of the world than the tourist of the past who depended upon land

vehicles and boats. The photograph shows, as an example of how foreign parts will look to the air tourists, the sacred city of

Samarra, once the Caliphs, on the Tigris, some twenty miles north of Bagdad. The city looks like a miniature clay model.

## MRS. ANNA COMFORT PASSES AWAY AS RESULT OF BURNS

As the result of terrible burns which she received when her clothing ignited from the flame of a gas stove Thursday afternoon, Mrs. Anna Comfort, widow of Thomas Comfort, died at 3 o'clock Friday morning at her home, 232 Cincinnati avenue.

Mrs. Comfort was alone in the house after dinner, and was engaged in doing up the after dinner work about the kitchen. It is thought that the ends of her apron strings came into contact with the gas flame, and before she was aware that her clothing was burning, her skirts were in flames in the rear. Rushing into the yard she attracted the attention of neighbors, who went to her rescue and extinguished the fire. Dr. Paul D. Espey found that her back was burned from her knees to her shoulders, and that owing to the seriousness of her burns and her age, she had no chance for recovery. The Misses Alice and Kathleen McGoneny, trained nurses, who are neighbors to the family, were with the aged woman until she died, assisting the family in giving her every attention.

Mrs. Comfort was born in Ireland and was 71 years of age last January. She had lived in Xenia since 1887. Her husband died eleven years ago last October. Surviving Mrs. Comfort are six children: Thomas, of Columbus; Perry, of Dayton; William Comfort, Mrs. William Fletcher, Mrs. Margaret Bergen and Miss Anna Comfort, of Xenia. Emmet Berzen, a grandson, now in the U. S. Marines, has always made his home with his grandmother, and shortly before her death, she said that she hoped she would live to see him again. She is also survived by two sisters, Mrs. Ellen Rachford and Mrs. Mary Coakley, of this city.

Mrs. Comfort was a member of St. Bridget's church. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

## HE MAY BE OLD BUT HAS THE PEP

Lorain, O., Feb. 28.—George N. Lackey is 79, but when attacked by four hold-up men he knocked one down, beat off the remainder of his assailants and held two of 'em until the cops arrived.

## INFLUENZA EPIDEMIC GROWS IN CLEVELAND

Cleveland, Feb. 28.—The sudden boost in the number of new cases of influenza here is result of rapid changes in weather conditions, the health department announced today. Until last Saturday cases averaged only ten and twelve a day. But with sudden weather changes this week the new cases jumped to 40 and 50 a day, with 8 and ten fatalities.

## COX NAMES WINE.

Columbus, Feb. 28.—Gov. Cox today appointed Curtis H. Wine, probate judge of Muskingum county to succeed Harvey C. Smith, resigned, now secretary of state.

## RUM RUNNERS GUILTY

Monroe, Mich., Feb. 28.—In circuit court here yesterday afternoon 13 alleged rum runners pleaded guilty and were fined \$500.

## KATZ HAS DOG'S LIFE

Valparaiso, Ind., Feb. 28.—Marriage with Anna Katz was a dog's life, said Leon Katz in his complaint for a divorce. There are no little Katz.

## GERMAN CABINET WILL ATTEMPT TO SUPPRESS REVOLT

Zurich, Feb. 28.—The German cabinet, following a three hour session, decided to take the most energetic measures to suppress the revolution according to dispatches from Berlin today. It was also reported that an ultimatum was sent to the "illegal soviet government" at Munich. The situation in central Germany was said to be growing worse. A state of siege has been proclaimed at Aischaffenburg. The Physicians in Leipzig were reported to have gone on strike. Government officials in Bochum, Herne, Gelsenkirchen and Dortmund have formed an "army of general security" numbering 16,000, to oppose the Spartacists. There were some reports, however, that the strike in the Ruhr district is disintegrating and that only 15,000 workmen are idle.

Unconfirmed reports were received that Spartacists in Berlin staged demonstrations in Wilhelmstrasse, before the Reichsbank and at other points Tuesday evening, in which shots were exchanged. Several telephone lines were said to have been cut.

The soviet congress in Munich is understood to have decided to create a provisional council which will be instructed to form a ministry. The landing will be convoked later.

## ENTERTAINS FRIENDS AT OYSTER SUPPER

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Fletcher entertained about thirty friends at an oyster supper at their home near New Burlington Wednesday evening, honoring Mr. and Mrs. P. W. McFarland and family who will move to Grape Grove next week.

Games and Victrola music were enjoyed. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. P. W. McFarland, and Misses Mary and Winifred McFarland, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Lawrence and children, Noggle and Virginia, Mr. and Mrs. William Reeves, Miss Ruth Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hull, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Harvey, Mr. and Mrs. George Humble, Mrs. W. F. McCray, Misses Mattie Stiles, Florence Wood, Alice McFarland, Mary Chenoweth, Mrs. Edna Hurley, Ralph McFarland, Albert Chenoweth, John Hardy, Raymond Fletcher, Jess Fletcher and Mr. and Mrs. Perry Fletcher and family.

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—Ice cream sodas were quoted at 20c each today in several of the largest dispensaries. "Increased cost of labor" was blamed. "My dear you can't imagine the back-breaking strain of jerking fizz water

## SALE DATES RESERVED

March 1—Kennon & Watt  
March 4—W. V. Lackey.  
March 4—J. H. Avey.  
March 5—Russell Hoagland.  
March 5—Driskel Bros.  
March 5—B. M. Leach.  
March 5—Russell Hoagland.  
March 6—Mrs. Ellen Rock.  
March 6—Ernest Bradford.  
March 6—J. Clarence Anderson.  
March 7—O. C. Ellison.  
March 6—Wm. Wagner & Sons.  
March 6—Fred Van Skiver.  
March 8th—Funderburg and  
March 8—Wilson Eng. Co.  
Oglesbee.  
March 10—H. S. Oglesbee.  
March 11—E. R. & W. B. Corry.  
March 12—John Shams.  
March 17—Ed. S. Davidson.  
March 22—Ethel Finley Tucker.

## ITALY GIVES ASSURANCE OF ITS SUPPORT

Washington, Feb. 28.—President Wilson today in a personal cable from Premier Orlando was assured the whole hearted support of Italy in the formation of a league of nations.

The cable said: "In Paris the heart of heroic France, through the high and persevering desire of great leader of a great people, the nations who have fought together for the liberty and justice of the world, have also determined together in the sanctity of a solemn covenant and in the name of liberty and justice of all peoples, to establish a peace which shall reign supreme over the future destinies of the world."

"To this covenant which shall be the intangible charter of humanity, Italy, who in the past and in the present has always championed the cause of right and proclaimed and consecrated it with her laws and with her blood, brings the contribution of her assent with fervid expression of deep conviction."

"Our hearts, with sincere faith, celebrate this event, which is and will remain one of the most memorable in human history, and it is fitting that the whole Italian people comprehend and acclaim with joy its high value and its everlasting significance."

## RAY SKYLES OF JAMESTOWN BADLY HURT IN ACCIDENT

Ray Skyles of Jamestown, who received a severely fractured leg, was the only one seriously injured when the Super-six Hudson touring car owned by George Persinger of near Jamestown and driven by Dallas Cooper of that place, crashed into the stone abutment of the Pennsylvania railroad bridge over the Dayton pike, four and one-half miles this side of Dayton Thursday morning.

John Heller of this city was badly shaken up but received no broken bones, and Cooper and Russel Moore, of Jamestown who was in the machine were unhurt beyond a little shaking up. Skyles was immediately taken to the Miami Valley hospital in Dayton, where it was found that the bone was severely shattered. He was thrown clear out of the car and was picked up in a ditch near by. He is still at the hospital. Mr. Heller was confined to his bed Friday and is suffering from shock and a severely bruised wrist.

The accident happened at a bad place in the road, the sharp turn under the overhead bridge making it impossible to see the road ahead. It is alleged that Cooper was driving at a good rate of speed when he came under the bridge, and a heavy truck, coming in the opposite direction was directly in his path. In attempting to avoid the truck, the touring car swerved into the stone abutment of the bridge.

Cooper was taking the machine to Dayton for Mr. Persinger. It was badly damaged in the collision with the stone wall.

## MIGHT HAVE BEEN WORSE

Marion, O., Feb. 28.—Rosella Shaffer, 8, held up her right hand as a target and told Raymond Walker, 9, to shoot. He did. One of Rosella's fingers is missing. "I didn't know it was loaded," sobbed Raymond.

## GILLETT IS NOMINATED AS SPEAKER

Washington, Feb. 28.—Representative Frederick H. Gillett, of Massachusetts, was nominated on the first ballot last night by the Republican conference as the party candidate for speaker in the next house of representatives.

Representative James R. Mann of Illinois ran second, with Representative Philip Campbell of Kansas, who entered the race a few days ago, after Representative Simeon D. Fess of Ohio had withdrawn far behind. As the Republicans will have a majority in the next house, nomination was regarded by them as equivalent to election.

The official vote as announced by Representative Horace M. Towner of Iowa, chairman of the conference, follows:

Gillett, 138.  
Mann, 69.  
Campbell, 13.

Scattering, five: Four for Representative John J. Esch of Wisconsin, and one for Representative Frank W. Mondell of Wyoming.

Immediately after the ballot was announced the election of Mr. Gillett was made unanimous, on motion of Mr. Mann.

Immediately after his nomination Mr. Gillett issued this statement:

"I have reached the goal of my ambition. A happiness, which I suppose comes to few men. I feel the deepest gratitude to my generous supporters, but I have no tinge of hard feeling against any one. My ambition now will be to establish harmonious cooperation among all Republicans that we may cope successfully with the prodigious problems of the coming session."

## WOMAN SUFFRAGE OR BOLSHEVISM COMING SAYS COX

Columbus, O., Feb. 28.—Addressing the Ohio Woman's Suffrage Association convention yesterday Governor Cox predicted that suffrage would soon be granted women of this country, not by virtue of the moral right but to save the nation from Bolshevism.

"Regardless of the moral right and justice of the cause, it is my prediction," said the governor, "that the suffrage result will be determined by that mother sense which holds always to home, to church and to state, and to justice against bolshevism."

"The mothers and women of America must be called upon to stand against the things that threaten across the seas, regardless of every consideration, we should now give the ballot to women of America," said the governor.

## SEVERAL HUNDRED AT RECEPTION FOR OLD AND NEW PASTORS

Several hundred persons, including members of the congregation, ministers from other denominations, and friends of the church gathered in the parlors of the First Presbyterian church Thursday night, when the congregation held a reception honoring its new pastor, the Rev. J. C. McCracken, and Mrs. McCracken and the former pastor and his wife, Rev. and Mrs. George S. Macaulay.

Ferns and potted blooming plants made an attractive decoration both in the reception room, and in the dining room where later in the evening, the guests were served.

In receiving line where Rev. and Mrs. McCracken and Rev. and Mrs. Macaulay, Rev. Macaulay having come from Camp Sherman, where he is doing some special Y. M. C. A. work for the purpose of being present at the reception. The popular former pastor of the church recently returned from France after spending a year there as a Y. M. C. A. secretary.

A very entertaining program was rendered, Miss Jean Elwell giving two delightful readings, while Mrs. Arthur V. Perrill sang, accompanied on the piano by Miss Helene Jobe. Through compliment to Mr. Macaulay, Mrs. Perrill sang "Keep the Home Fires Burning," the whole gathering joining in the chorus.

Later in the evening the guests were invited to the dining room, where cake, ice cream and coffee were served.

## MAJOR ADERSON IS KILLED WHILE HE FLIES GERMAN PLANE

Coblentz, Feb. 28.—Major H. B. Aderson, commander of the observation group of the Fourth corps was killed today while flying a Fokker machine surrendered by the Germans. He attempted to reach the Coblentz field despite motor trouble but his plane crashed.

## WILSON AND TAFT TO SPEAK IN NEW YORK

New York, Feb. 28.—William Howard Taft today accepted the invitation to speak with President Wilson on the subject of the League of Nations at the Metropolitan opera house here Tuesday night.

Washington, Feb. 28.—President Wilson will sail for France on the George Washington next Wednesday morning, it was officially announced today.

On his return journey to resume his duties at the peace conference the President will be accompanied again by Mrs. Wilson, Admiral Grayson and other members of his immediate party who made the original trip.

Tuesday night he will speak at the Metropolitan Opera House in New York in a final appeal to the country for support of the league of nations. From the opera house he will go directly to the steamer George Washington, spending the night aboard the vessel, which sails the next morning.

Enroute to New York Tuesday, the President will stop off for an hour or so in Philadelphia, to visit his daughter, Mrs. Francis B. Sayre and greet his latest grandson, Woodrow Wilson Sayre.

Details of the President's return trip to Paris were announced today at the White House. He will leave Washington immediately after the adjournment of congress on a special train for New York, having luncheon and dinner on the train and stopping only at Philadelphia. The party will arrive in New York about 8:30 Tuesday evening, going directly to the opera house.

The President and Mrs. Wilson will not occupy the Murat Palace as their Paris residence upon their return, it being understood that another fine home has been secured for them.

## THIRTY NINE XENIA PEOPLE PRESENT AT D. OF A. INSTALLATION

Thirty nine Xenia people attended the ceremonies of installation of Funston Council, No. 163, Daughters of America, at New Carlisle, Thursday evening.

Mrs. A. E. Faulkner, of this city, state vice councillor, and Mrs. Clara A. Dick, of Shelby, past national councillor of the Daughters of America, installed the chapter, and Mrs. Faulkner later had charge of the ceremony of installation of the new officers of the lodge. Funston Council, is named in honor of General Funston, whose old home was at New Carlisle, and it has a charter membership of 49.

The degree work was in charge of Marine staff from Obedient Council, this city, M. E. Coulter, Captain. The work of the staff was so excellent that it drew much praise from everybody present. The staff had its work all committed to memory, and went through it without a hitch. Sixty-eight visitors representing eight councils were in attendance. Both Xenia councils and several other Greene county people made the trip to New Carlisle in the Walker truck.

## THIS FATHER WILL NEVER SEE HIS BABE

Baby Katherine Spriggs, aged two months and ten days, will never be seen alive by her soldier father. The child who is the daughter of Private Sherman Spriggs, who is stationed at Camp Taylor, and Mrs. Ellen McWhorton Spriggs, was found dead in 'ed Thursday at the home of the family in Ross township. Private Spriggs went to Camp Taylor last August. He was never given a furlough to return home, even after the birth of his baby. Coroner R. L. Haines who was called, gave it as his opinion that the child's death was caused by bronchial pneumonia.

## JOSEPH GRAHAM IS CRITICALLY ILL

Stricken suddenly by what is believed to be uraemic poisoning, Joseph Graham is lying in a critical condition at his home on Dayton Hill. Mr. Graham had been suffering from a cold and biliousness, and had not been feeling well for three weeks, but had not considered himself ill enough to consult a physician. About noon Friday Mrs. Graham called a physician. Leaving her husband alone for a short time, she returned to the room to find him unconscious. He has not regained consciousness since, and his condition is regarded as dangerous.

## MEIGS CLAIMS HONOR

Reedsville, O., Feb. 28.—Meigs county disputes New York's claim to the oldest Democrat and brings forth Daniel Keller of Tupper Plains. Keller is 102 years old and always has voted the Democratic ticket, "never kicking over the traces."



## LOCAL ITEMS

Forest Hurley, of Xenia, has been spending a few days in Wilmington, with his cousin, Glenn Paxson, of the Katz & Boncutter Store.—Wilmington News.

Roller skating before and after basket ball game Saturday evening. Rink open 7 o'clock. adv

Miss Lena Gray and John Tierney of South Charleston, were guests here for the Elks dance Thursday night. Miss Gray was the guest of Miss Margaret Poland, returning home Friday morning. Mr. Tierney, who was recently discharged from service with the 83rd Division, was the guest of his brother, J. Emmet Tierney of this city.

Miss Fannie Hammer, of Miller avenue, employed at the Hoover & Allison mills, accidentally caught the first finger of her right hand in a gearing at the mill Wednesday afternoon, and it was severely crushed. It was at first thought that the finger would have to be amputated but a surgeon saved the member.

Miss Gladys Hagler of near Jamestown, has been spending several days in this city the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Bradfield of Dayton Avenue.

### WEATHER REPORT

Rain tonight turning to snow west portion, colder north and west portions; Saturday locals snows and much colder with a cold wave.

Joshua Beall, who has been a patient at the Espey Hospital for several weeks, will be removed to his home in the Needmore neighborhood, Saturday. Mr. Beall is suffering from tuberculosis, resulting from influenza pneumonia.

Gazette route open for wide awake boy—call right away. 3-3

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Barbell, who live on the Luther Hartsook farm in the Eleazer neighborhood, are the parents of a son, born Thursday.

Making an effort to catch a glass tumbler which slipped from her hands while she was drying it, Mary Jeffries, an inmate of the county children's home, received a severe gash in her right hand when the tumbler crashed to pieces against the edge of the kitchen sink, Friday noon. The broken glass gashed the hand between the two first fingers. A surgeon dressed the injury.

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The fire department answered a false alarm sent in from the box at the extreme end of West Second street shortly after midnight Friday evening. The false alarm came in over the old Gamewell system, which is being kept in operation while the new telephone system is thoroughly tested.

Relatives have received a message from Sergeant John W. Plack, of WE service, that he has arrived safely in New York from France. He is a member of Co. M, 365th Infantry and was over the top twice but was uninjured. He expects to get home soon.

WANTED—To show you my wad paper in your own home. From 6c up Drop me a postal. A. M. Stark, 511 North West Street. adv-3-1

GET IT AT DONGES. adv

Mrs. G. J. Graham and her daughter, Mrs. S. O. Hale, are visiting in Frankfort as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claypool.

Dance every Saturday night. Moose hall. adv 2-28

Miss Mabel Foley has taken a position as saleswoman in the ready to wear department at Elder's store in Dayton.

Douglas Custis protects "LIFE."

Miss Nelle Rink of West Market street is confined to her bed suffering from influenza.

Gazette route open for wide awake boy—call right away. 3-3

Mrs. Anna Shelly is spending several days at the Ursuline convent in Brown county visiting her daughter, Miss Margaret, who is a student there.

Dance every Saturday night. Moose hall. adv 2-28

The youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Weir Cooper, is dangerously ill of pneumonia following influenza. The baby is aged a year and a half. The rest of the Cooper family is just recovering from the influenza.

Mrs. Herbert S. Dean, of east of this city, who has been in Pensacola Fla., for the past six weeks has returned home having been much benefited by the trip. While there Mrs. Dean was associated with Miss Elizabeth Adams in Y. W. C. A. work. Miss Adams formerly lived in James town and will be remembered by Greene county people.

In honor of the new members of the church, a congregational conference will be held at Trinity M. E. Church next Wednesday evening at six o'clock. Following dinner a short program of speeches and music will be rendered. The arrangements will carry out St. Patrick's Day suggestions.

Mrs. Walter Hanner gave a prettily appointed luncheon Thursday for the pleasure of Mrs. Garver of Fremont. Mrs. Charles A. Weaver's guest.

The Board of Governors of the Greene County Library will meet at 7 o'clock Monday afternoon at the Library.

Gardner Gearhart, who was a member of the Spruce Division, arrived home Thursday having received his honorable discharge. He has been in the mountains in Washington for over a year.

Dr. J. E. Wishart who has been in Chicago for the past few months, arrived in Xenia Friday, where he will resume his work in the Seminary.

Jack Kearney, former Xenian, and now located in Cleveland, is spending several days with relatives here and visiting his son, Lawrence Kearney, who recently returned home from overseas. He expects to return to Cleveland Monday.

About \$85 was cleared from the upper which was given by the women of the Reformed church Thursday evening. An excellent chicken supper was served, and a large number of patrons partook of the delicious meal.

On behalf of the High School Athletic Association and in recognition of faithful services during the football season, Phillip Kyle was awarded an "X" sweater at the Rink Thursday evening. Principal M. R. Simpson presented the sweater with a neat presentation speech, which he delivered between halves of the main game.

Be sure and read the classified pages.

A good second-hand Double Disc for sale \$50.00.

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## FAST GAME RESULTS IN VICTORY FOR XENIA TEAM BY SCORE 28-27

Things happened rapidly for St. Mary's High School basketball team of Dayton last night and when the contest had transpired into history it hardly was aware of the fact that it had been beaten by the local Hi School quintet in the fastest game played on the Rink floor in many a day. The final score was 28-27.

The game was the grand finale to the double-header staged during the evening, the preliminary fracas resulting in a win for the High School second team over the Dayton Elmwoods, by the score of 29-5, the locals accomplishing the very seldom feat of keeping the visitors from securing even one field goal the entire game.

The Saints started out with vigor in the first few minutes and soon attained a small lead which was quickly overcome and passed by Fairies' outfit. At the end of the period the locals were holding the none-to-comfortable lead of 13 to 8, and with two men watching "Yank" Stephens every step of the way, things looked none too brilliant.

Every one of the locals played well, with Stephens still "high man" despite the fact that two men played him continually. Mayl was easily the star of the visitors, securing seven fielders while Volino was also good. The lineup and score:

Xenia (28)	St. Marys (27)
Stephens	Farley
Hartsock (c)	Bogan
Ball	Mayl
Satterfield	Sacksteder
Vannorsdal	Supenski

Substitutions:—Volino for Bogan. Field goals:—Stephens 6, Hartsock 3, Satterfield, Farley 2, Mayl 7, Volino 3. Foul goals:—Hartsock 4 out of 7; Farley 3 out of 4. Referee:—W. Vannorsdal.

The preliminary game was not close enough to be exciting but it was interesting in that the visitors didn't score a field goal the entire game.

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## EAST END NEWS

Meetings are being held each evening at the Christian Church. Brother Jackson of Millersburg, Ky. is preaching. He is indeed rightly preaching the word of truth so that a child can understand. All lovers of the gospel have a chance to hear him.

The Effie Carter W. C. T. U. will meet at the residence of Mrs. Alice Rountree, Tuesday afternoon at 2:30. The revival services at Middle Run Baptist church will be discontinued until the fifth Sunday in March. There will be no services at this church to-night. This is done for a rest.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Watkins are the proud parents of a ten pound girl which was born to them Wednesday afternoon. The mother and daughter are doing nicely.

Little Florence Lindsay, infant daughter of Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Lindsay, is quite ill. She is some better today but her condition is still serious. Daniel and Rebecca Purnell have been confined to the house with colds this week.

### Keeping the Watch.

One last word on hymn jokes: In a homely chat on favorite hymns the son and heir said he liked that one best where the little Jew boy stole the old gentleman's watch! The hymnal index was useless here, and the reference took some searching for. Here it is, familiar to all:

The old man meek and mild,  
The priest of Israel, slept;  
His watch the Temple child,  
The little Levite, kept.  
—Lombon Chronicle.

## Here's A Gentle Laxative For Elderly People

A daily free movement of the bowels becomes a serious problem as you step from middle-life into old age, and much dependence can no longer be placed on nature herself. The bowels find artificial aid necessary.

The stronger the physique, as old people soon learn, the greater the contraction of the bowels thereafter, and to the wise purposely avoid salt waters, pills and other harsh purgatives. Many have learned to place absolute reliance on the gentle but positive action of a combination of simple laxative herbs with pepsin sold by druggists under the name of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin.

It produces an agreeable movement as nearly natural and free as high pharmaceutical skill can make it. Thousands use it regularly, in the small dose prescribed, and keep themselves in fine health and good cheer, and entirely free from constipation.

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The Perfect Laxative

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## The Honorable William Howard Taft FORMER PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

Clark County Memorial Hall  
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Monday, March 3 at 8 p. m.

Mr. Taft will come to Springfield on March 3rd, after completing his tour of the United States in behalf of a League of Free Nations.

Tickets \$1.00 each—on sale at the Springfield Chamber of Commerce, Clark County Memorial Hall, Pierce's Book Store, Buchholtz Drug Stores.

No seats reserved—Doors will be opened at 7 p. m.

The Springfield Chamber of Commerce

## To All Bible School Workers

Mr. Shreve Durham, of Chicago, and Georgia Lee Young, of Detroit, will address the Pastors and Sunday School Workers at the meeting to be held at Trinity M. E. church next Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. This will be one of the opportunities to hear and see live, aggressive Bible School Workers. Don't fail to be there and remain throughout the meeting.

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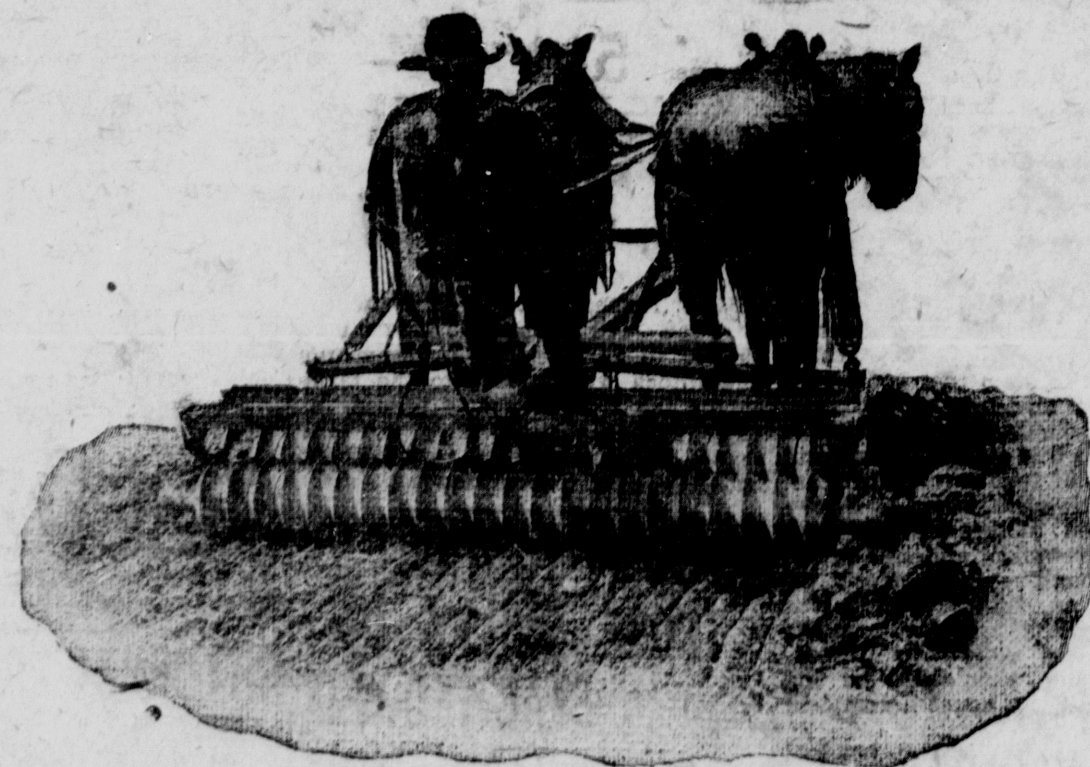
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All things considered, it is expensive business traveling on deflated tires. It is far cheaper to carry a spare, as every sensible motorist does nowadays, but still there are a lot of short sighted men who go along without an extra tire, hoping that the inevitable will never happen, and then, to cap the climax, they go to the dealer for an adjustment.

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JOHN A. NISBET  
IS RE-APPOINTED

John A. Nisbet was reappointed member of the sinking fund trustees to succeed himself, by the City Commissioners at their regular meeting Thursday night. Mr. Nisbet's term had expired.

The street paving proposition occupied the greater part of the time, but as City Manager Riddle has not yet completed his cost estimates, nothing definite in the matter was done. Regular business filled the balance of the program at the meeting.

## Optimistic Thought.

The stingy man loves to give advice; it costs nothing.

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In a long chase for a criminal, J. F. Jones, a secret service man of Chicago, wore one pair of shoes with Neolin Soles for nineteen months. This chase covering both American continents and Australia, ended in April, 1917. The shoes were then given a mechanic at Clearing, Ill., and were worn by him another seven months.

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WAR TAXES ARE  
TO RUN 25 YEARS

Washington, Feb. 28.—It will cost the American people about \$1,200,000,000 a year for the next 25 years to pay off the war debt, according to estimates of the Treasury, based on incomplete knowledge of precisely what the final war debt will be.

This calculation is made on the assumption that the net war debt, with deductions for loans to the allies, will be in the neighborhood of \$18,000,000,000.

Interest on this amount at the rate of 4 1/4 per cent. would be \$765,000,000 a year, to be raised by taxes, and then repaid to bond holders. In addition about \$417,000,000 would have to be provided every year as a sinking fund to redeem all bonds in 25 years.

This would require a cumulative sinking fund provision of 2.32 per cent. Congress has not authorized establishment of a sinking fund as recommended by Secretary Glass.

Treasury officials assert that if this authorization is given, bonds might be bought up on the market each year, or called for redemption at the periods provided in terms under which they were sold.

BEAUTIFUL SNIDER  
HOME SCENE OF A  
DELIGHTFUL EVENT

Mrs. Charles D. Snider opened her beautiful home on North King street, Thursday afternoon to the members of the Home Missionary Society of Trinity church, and a large number of women enjoyed her hospitality. The missionary group to which Mrs. Snider belongs had charge of the arrangements for the meeting.

The chapter of the missionary text book which relates to lumber and mining camps, was studied. Mrs. Harold Owens reading the chapter. Two leaflets relating to the chapter were read by Mrs. Ed. Meahl and Mrs. George Eckerle. After the missionary program, the company enjoyed very much a duet, "Memories," with Mrs. James Thornton at the piano and little Dorothy Snider at the player piano. Cocoa and cakes were served.

## To Remove Varnish Stains.

To remove varnish stains, first wet the spots with alcohol two or three times, then rub with a clean cloth. If the color is injured, sponge afterward with chloroform to restore it, unless the color is blue, in which case vinegar should be used instead.

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Get busy with a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery at once

Coughs, colds and bronchial attacks—they are all likely to result in dangerous ailments unless checked in time. And how effectively and quickly Dr. King's New Discovery helps to do the checking work! Inflamed, irritated membranes are soothed, the mucous phlegm loosened freely, and quiet, restful sleep follows. 60c and \$1.20. All druggists have it. Sold since 1869.

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JOHN SHADE CASE

A keen legal fight will take place next Tuesday in common pleas court, when the condemnation suit of the Miami Conservancy District against John Shade of Bath township will come up for a second trial. At the first trial several weeks ago, the jury placed a valuation of \$280 an acre on the Shade farm. A new trial was granted by Judge Kyle on the grounds that the verdict was excessive. It is not yet known what judge will be assigned to try the case. Appearing in the case with the regular conservancy lawyers in this county, J. K. Williamson and M. A. Broadstone, will be Con Mattern and R. M. Nevin of Dayton. Harry D. Smith and Judge Shoup represent Mr. Shade.

## Fidelity in Small Things.

Fidelity in small things is at the base of every great achievement. We too often forget this, and yet no truth needs more to be kept in mind, particularly in the troubled eras of history and in the crises of individual life.—Charles Wagner.

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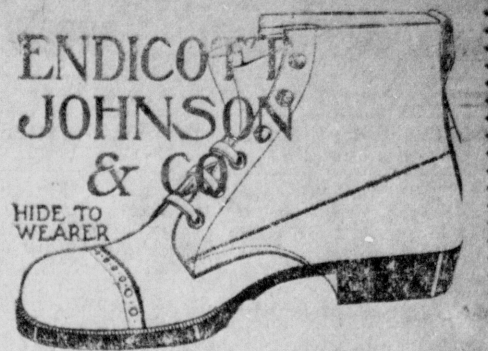
Tells Rheumatism Sufferers to Eat Less Meat and Take Salts.

Rheumatism is easier to avoid than to cure, states a well-known authority. We are advised to dress warmly; keep the feet dry; avoid exposure; eat less meat, but drink plenty of good water.

Rheumatism is a direct result of eating too much meat and other rich foods that produce uric acid which is absorbed into the blood. It is the function of the kidneys to filter this acid from the blood and cast it out in the urine; the pores of the skin are also a means of freeing the blood of this impurity. In damp and chilly cold weather the skin pores are closed thus forcing the kidneys to do double work, they become weak and sluggish and fail to eliminate the uric acid which keeps accumulating and circulating through the system, eventually settling in the joints and muscles causing stiffness, soreness and pain called rheumatism.

At the first twinge of rheumatism get from any pharmacy about four ounces of Jad Salts; put a tablespoonful in a glass of water and drink before breakfast each morning for a week. This is said to eliminate uric acid by stimulating the kidneys to normal action, thus ridding the blood of these impurities.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, harmless and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and is used with excellent results by thousands of folks who are subject to rheumatism. Here you have a pleasant, effervescent lithia-water drink which helps overcome uric acid and is beneficial to your kidneys as well.

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### CITY OR COUNTRY LIFE, WHICH?

There is an old adage that "God made the country and man made the city"—the implication of which is that the country has the reputation of being pure, while the city is tainted. During the French revolution it was the theory that "Paris is France," and it was undoubtedly true that Paris and the chief French cities did set a pace which the country districts were unable to check.

And you remember that our own beloved Abraham Lincoln had to be smuggled through Baltimore, on his way to be inaugurated President, because of the threat to assassinate him. Then, only this very week an anarchist nest was discovered in Philadelphia, and several arrests made, of fellows who were to draw lots as to who would go to Boston last Sunday to meet President Wilson's ship and throw a bomb at him as he set foot again on the shores of the United States.

Yes, it cannot be denied that many cities are the breeding places of anarchy—and the shameful saloons have held a large place in firing up the passions of the "gunmen."

How different from this is country life. Think of fighting one's way through the noonday crowd in the big city streets; think of a trip on the elevated railway gazing from the car window at the mile after mile of tenement houses filled to bursting with human life. And then, taking the trolley car you are landed in the cool, refreshing country. You feel like a new person—you want to expand your lungs and take in all the glorious fresh air and sunshine that is going.

We are glad to note that what is termed the "Centenary" movement proposes to give stimulation especially to country life, perhaps largely through the country church. It is already a fact that much has been done in this direction by arousing public attention to the advantage of making the church the community center for the whole neighborhood. By making it the meeting place for nearly every cause of public interest. And as this is the day of the young folks, it has been found that by encouragement they can be rallied to feel that the church can be utilized for many other good purposes besides that of worshiping God.

The low esteem in which rural life has been held by both religious and educational leaders has been largely due to undesirable living conditions and the relative ability of the farming and the small trading groups. These difficulties the Centenary program proposes to obviate by assisting the farmer to reach an economic level fully comparable to that of other groups; by striving to make living conditions in the country more satisfactory, and by endeavoring to renew community spirit and loyalty.

But no longer can the farmer be looked down upon as one with less ability to have all the good things of life that he wishes. With the prices of everything that he raises at the top notch, he is far and away in better financial condition than the city mechanic.

Yet, strange to say we find the country boys crazy for town life. If they knew which side of their bread is best buttered they would resist the spirit of dissatisfaction with country life. All they need to do is to pull themselves together with energy in their work and let the world see their aspiration to be "A Country Gentleman," like George Washington.

If it be said that there is no future—no opportunity for rise—to the young man without capital who works on a farm, this is simply not the fact. Some of the most prosperous farmers began as wage-earners—hired men—to use the farm term. Many of the hired men of a generation back are landowners—they live on farms which they own. There is probably as much opportunity for rise in the farm business as in any other industry.

**HOW DID HE GET IT?**  
 Philadelphia, Feb. 27.—Former police lieutenant James Flaherty will file today disposes of an estate of more than \$1,000,000 to friends.

**COMMANDER IS DEAD**  
 London, Feb. 27.—Commander E. G. Blankeslee, aide de camp to Admiral Sims is dead of pneumonia.

### BEWARE OF THE "GOLD BRICK" SHARKS.

It is to be hoped that congress can find time, in the busy days ending the session, to enact the bill for the protection of bogus stock purchases strongly urged by Secretary of the Treasury Glass.

This measure would require all corporations selling stock through the mails, or through advertisements in publications circulated through the mails, to file with the treasury department comprehensive information concerning their stock, and would make the persons signing the statements responsible for their truth or falsity. Fine and imprisonment are provided as penalties for wilful violation, and persons incurring loss as a result of intentional misrepresentation would be entitled to recover damages.

This measure is particularly needed at the present time. As nearly everybody knows, the country is flooded with stock flotations, many of them of doubtful value or absolutely fraudulent. They are designed to separate the prosperous and inexperienced citizen from his surplus cash, and particularly his Liberty Bonds. Their success may be inferred from the fact that estimates of worthless investments made during the past year run as high as half a billion dollars.

As Secretary Glass points out, it is particularly desirable to safeguard from these harpies the millions of owners of Liberty Bonds—people who exchange their bonds for wild-cat securities.

A federal law will not correct the evil altogether. Many worthless stocks are sold by vendors who do not use the mails, but go personally from house to house. They need to be controlled no less than others. It is possible to control them, as Secretary Glass explains, by means of state laws requiring all persons desiring to sell shares of stock to obtain a license. State legislatures now in session would do well to take up the matter.

### THE PROMOTER'S WIFE

BY JANE PHELPS.

LORRAINE MORTON AND BARBARA DINE WITH MR. FEDERICK. CHAPTER XXII.

The next morning I packed Neil's bag and sent Tonko down with it. I slipped in a little note telling Neil how I loved him; and how even the two days he was to be away would be interminable. Then I kept busy so that I should not think too much of his refusal to allow me to accompany him.

Lorraine Morton called me up on the 'phone and asked me to tea in the afternoon. When she found out I was alone she proposed that we be "real sports" and stay out to dinner. "We'll go to the Vanderbilt or the Waldorf for dinner, get tickets for some good show, and make an evening of it."

I heartily agreed. I knew that, should I stay at home alone, I would be depressed and blue. So we were quite gay as we sat down to a secluded table in the Della Robia room of the Vanderbilt. We had ordered, when to my surprise I saw Mr. Frederick making his way toward us. I had no idea he was still in New York, and told him so.

"Business matters detained me. And"—he hesitated—"if I won't intrude, and you are expecting no one else, won't you ladies take pity on a lonely mining man and dine with me?"

"But we have ordered," Lorraine said, then kicked me under the table. I knew she meant for me to accept. "Make that order for three, and bring me a wine card. We'll have a bottle of very light wine. Something that won't hurt you," he added, noting the refusal in my face.

Evidently a hotel was more nearly the stamping ground of this westerner; for he was far more at ease than he had been at the house. He knew how to handle waiters, and to order, so that we had good service, if he did not quite know what to do in a private house. I could see he was making a good impression on Lorraine (and she was very critical.)

In the course of the conversation he learned that we had ordered tickets for the theater at the news stand. After asking our permission, he excused himself for a moment to tell them to make it three seats instead of two.

"Isn't he fine?" Lorraine said when he was out of hearing. "I like such rugged men. They are like a good cool drink of water after the flame society men one meets now-a-days. Is he a bachelor?"

"I'm sure I don't know," I replied.

### INSTANT POSTUM

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just as he returned, "but I will ask him."

He looked from one to the other in a puzzled way a pleasant smile on his face.

"Ask anything you like, Mrs. Forbes. I will answer if I can."

"Are you a bachelor?" I laughed and they both joined me at the frankly-put question.

"Yes, I am a bachelor, free white, and a little past twenty-one." He was forty if he was a day.

"We were very gay at dinner. Then we took a taxi for the play."

It was a society drama, very amusing to those who knew the inside workings of social life. Afterward Mr. Frederick insisted we go to one of the Broadway places for a cabaret. I demurred at first, but he and Lorraine overruled me.

We had a bite of supper, and we watched the show, which was really worth seeing. He did not dance, and we saw no one we knew. I did not care, but Lorraine was an indefatigable dancer, and tried her best to make Mr. Frederick get up on the floor.

"I'll lead, then all you will have to do is to follow me," she told him.

"My dear young lady, I should probably step on your toes, tear your gown, and make both you and Mrs. Forbes ashamed of knowing so clumsy a man."

It was after one, when they left at the door. Mr. Frederick took me into the elevator, and while waiting, said:

"I want particularly to see you. May I call tomorrow sometime?"

"Certainly! any time after three." I wondered why he wanted to see me again.

"I will be here at three," he replied.

Tomorrow—Mr. Frederick's Object in Calling Upon Barbara.

### BUSINESS CLUB MEETING POSTPONED

The regular meeting of the Xenia Business Men's Association which was scheduled for Thursday evening was postponed until next week, at which time officers for the ensuing year will be elected.

An effort is being made to secure Dr. Grant Perkins, the new president of Antioch, to address the association on that occasion, and if he can come the club members are assured of a very interesting evening. Dr. Perkins has the reputation of being a very forceful speaker and it is hoped that he will welcome the invitation to come to Xenia on this occasion.

A banquet will also be a feature of the evening.

### MAMMA! DON'T YOU SEE YOUR CHILD IS SICK, CONSTIPATED

Look at tongue! Move poisons from liver and bowels at once.

Mother! Your child isn't naturally cross and peevish. See if tongue is coated; this is a sure sign its little stomach, liver and bowels need a cleansing at once.

When listless, pale, feverish, full of cold, breath bad, throat sore, doesn't eat, sleep or act naturally, has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, remember, a gentle liver and bowel cleansing should always be the first treatment given.

Nothing equals "California Syrup of Figs" for children's ills; give a teaspoonful, and in a few hours all the food waste, sour bile and fermenting food which is clogged in the bowels passes out of the system, and you have a well and playful child again. All children love this harmless, delicious "fruit laxative," and it never fails to effect a good "inside" cleansing. Directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups are plainly on the bottle.

Keep it handy in your home. A little given today saves a sick child tomorrow, but get the genuine. Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," then look and see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." adv

### Sore Throat, Colds

Quickly Relieved By Hamlin's Wizard Oil

Hamlin's Wizard Oil is a simple and effective treatment for sore throat and chest colds. Used as a gargle for sore throat it brings quick relief. Rubbed on the chest it will often loosen up a hard, deep seated cold in one night.

How often sprains, bruises, cuts and burns occur in every family, as well as little troubles like earache, toothache, cold sores, canker sores, stiff neck, and tired aching feet. Soothing, healing Wizard Oil will always bring quick relief.

Get it from druggists for 30 cents. If not satisfied return the bottle and get your money back.

Ever constipated or have sick headache? Just try Wizard Liver Whips, pleasant little pink pills, 30 cents. Guaranteed.

### SKATING FEVER IS GROWING IN XENIA

H. D. Ruhlman, manager of the skating rink, helped greatly to popularize the place when he arranged for a moonlight skate Wednesday night. A big yellow moon shone down on the skaters and made a pretty effect. An unusually large crowd attended the affair.

A masquerade skating party is scheduled for next Tuesday night when a great masked carnival will be held. There will be a grand march and skating until 10:30 o'clock. Six prizes will be awarded to the two prettiest costumed skaters, to the two most originally costumed skaters and to the two who are most comically costumed. The rink has been the mecca of young people since its opening and it is expected that the big place will be packed for the masquerade affair.

### Everyday Etiquette

"Should a girl allow a man to call oftener than once a week?" was Louise's query.

"If she finds his society agreeable, there is no reason why she should not allow him the privilege of calling oftener," said her older sister.

### SCHOOL-DAY STRAIN

A parent troubled over a child or a fast-growing youth, could do no better than to utilize the definite help that

## SCOTT'S EMULSION

affords as a strengthening and nourishing factor. A very little of Scott's every day, during a time of stress, furnishes elements of nourishment essential to the blood and tends to confirm a growing child in robustness. For your boy or girl, you will not be satisfied with anything short of Scott's.

Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J.

19-22

to Bill—  
 Howdy Fred—  
 Classy Coat you have on—  
 Yeh—feels good too—  
 Whe'd you get it?—  
 HIGGINS AND PHILLIPS—Sav that's a snappy looking suit YOU have on  
 Yeh—it came from HIGGINS AND PHILLIP too—  
 Oh—HIGGINS AND PHILLIPS keep the cooies for us young fellows  
 They sure do—  
 'bye  
 So long

Give Orders Singly.  
 All good administration is based upon one simple fact. The human mind can deal so very much better with one single concept than it can with two that no experienced executive ever gives two orders to one person at the same time where the matter is one of importance and where it can be avoided.

**Stop this!**  
 At first signs of a cold or grip take Lane's Cold & Grip Tablets  
 Don't wait. Delay often leads to pneumonia. Results are guaranteed. At your druggists.

**AVOID COUGHS and COUGHERS**  
 Coughing Spreads Disease  
**SHILOH**  
 30 DROPS STOP COUGHS  
 HALF THIS FOR CHILDREN

The big feature in using burnt (Hydrated) Lime for fertilizer on your land is the quick returns. Let us tell you about our MORE-CROP Lime. We keep a stock on hand at our yards. Manufactured by The Moores Lime Co.

## Stiles Company

Yard South Detroit St.  
 Both Phones 298

## They Are Here!

The new 1919 Buick models have just arrived and can be seen at the Buick show room at the Xenia Garage.

Call or phone for a demonstration. You owe it to yourself to see these cars before you buy.

## M. H. Schmidt

"THE BUICK MAN"

With Xenia Garage, South Detroit St.

TELEPHONE YOUR WANT ADS.

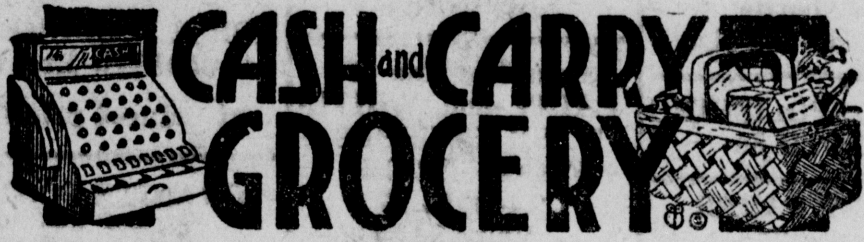


**CASTORIA**

For Infants and Children  
In Use For Over 30 Years  
Always bears  
the  
Signature of *Chas. H. Peterson*

**MOTHER GRAY'S POWDERS  
BENEFIT MANY CHILDREN**

Thousands of mothers have found Mother Gray's Sweet Powders an excellent remedy for children complaining of headaches, colds, feverishness, stomach troubles and other irregularities from which children suffer during these days and excellent results are accomplished by its use. Used by mothers for over 30 years. Sold by Druggists everywhere.

**KENNEDY'S**

The place to save money on your Groceries  
BIG SPECIAL SALE ON SALMON

**Saturday**

We will have on sale all day Saturday our very highest quality pink Alaska Salmon in tall 1 pound cans

SATURDAY ONLY

2 Cans ..... 34c

This Big Sale Price at Either Store

XENIA AND YELLOW SPRINGS

**SEMINARY NEWS**

The Y. P. C. U. of the First Church had a business meeting at the home of Miss Mabel McConnell, to which the Seminary students were invited. Altho we were not able to attend the entire evening on account of the meeting for the study of the Sabbath School lesson, yet some of us got there in time to enjoy a good social. Also to hear part of the interesting things Private E. McCalmont had to say about real life in the trenches. We are grateful to the young people of our churches for the good times they have allowed us to share with them. It was the writers privilege to attend prayer meeting at the Second

church this week, and if the prayer meeting is the Spiritual thermometer of the congregation, they certainly are on fire for God.

The work at the West End Mission is very encouraging to those of the faculty and students who are taking active interest.

This week a surprise was given to Mr. H. Douthett, who is Supt. of the Sabbath School. A number of the men attended and had a very enjoyable evening.

Rev. Jameson reports that a very interesting series of meetings have just closed at Findlay, Ohio, congregation of which Mr. C. G. Lunan is pastor.

Word has just been received that Rev. and Mrs. Henry Rankin have arrived in Cairo, Egypt, after a long hard journey.

Basket ball still keeps the center of the stage and this week the Seminary team has a game scheduled with the West End Church. Mr. Ferguson, one of our best players will play with the opposition as he teaches one of the classes at the West End Church. A good time is expected.

Word comes that Chauncey Webster is much better. We are very thankful for this good word and hope he will soon be back to good health.

**AN OLD RECIPE  
TO DARKEN HAIR**

Sage Tea and Sulphur Turns  
Gray, Faded Hair Dark  
and Glossy.

Almost everyone knows that Sage Tea and Sulphur, properly compounded, brings back the natural color and lustre to the hair when faded, streaked or gray. Years ago the only way to get this mixture was to make it at home, which is messy and troublesome.

Nowadays we simply ask at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound." You will get a large bottle of this old-time recipe improved by the addition of other ingredients, at very little cost. Everybody uses this preparation now, because no one can possibly tell that you darkened your hair, as it does it so naturally and evenly. You dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair disappears, and after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully dark, thick and glossy and you look years younger. Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound is a delightful toilet requisite. It is not intended for the cure, mitigation or prevention of disease.

**NEW BABIES ARE  
LISTED IN INDEX**

Every one of the 2500 children whose births were reported in Xenia and Xenia township since the inauguration of the Bureau of Vital Statistics in 1908, are listed in a card index which has been prepared by Dr. R. H. Grube, registrar for the city and township.

By means of this index, which took considerable work to make, the registrar is able to readily furnish birth certificates or give any information desired concerning a birth. Such information is frequently sought, and often legitimacy of child inheritance or other matters of vital importance are at stake. In former years doctors were not so careful as they are now to report the birth of children, and there are undoubtedly many children who have never been registered. Dr. Grube says that he will receive at any time the record of a child not previously registered, from information which may be furnished by physicians, nurses, parents or any responsible person who knows particulars of the birth.

**OLD TOWN**

The Central Literary Club will meet Friday evening, February 28th. A very interesting program is expected. Everybody welcome.

Mr. John Shoemaker of Xenia, moved in the S. B. Harner house.

Mr. Harry Brewer of Yellow Springs moved on the Steele farm.

The members of the Old Town Church gave a reception for Miss McDowell at the R. E. Bryson home Monday night. Everybody enjoyed the evening. Ice cream and cake were served.

**ANNUAL FARMERS  
INSTITUTE IS HELD  
IN ROSS TOWNSHIP**

The Ross Township third annual Farmers Institute was held at the Centralized School Building on Friday and Saturday of last week.

The hall was well filled at every session showing that the farmers of Ross township are awake and anxious to hear discussed the live farm questions of the day.

C. H. Swan, the state speaker, proved to be quite an entertainer as well as an instructor.

At the evening session our state representative, W. B. Bryson gave a very able and interesting talk, discussing some of the bills about to be acted upon by the state legislature.

The music furnished at the institute was under the direction of Miss Effa Stroup, Ross township music teacher. The music for the first day was furnished by the school children and for the second day by the orchestra under the management of Walter Sayers of Beaver township.

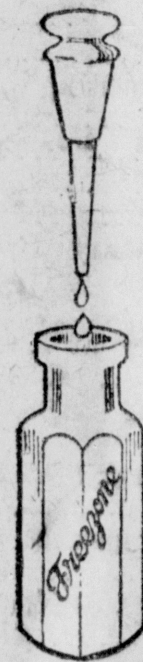
One of the most attractive features of the Ross Township Farmers Institute was the elegant dinner that is always served. Our domestic science equipment at the school house makes it possible for the ladies of the community to prepare and serve a dinner long to be remembered.

**Coral Beads.**

Coral beads are apt to lose their fresh appearance. To clean them put a piece of soda about the size of a pea into a bowl of water hot enough to dissolve the soda. Rub some ordinary soap on the fingers, then rub on to the beads between the hands. Rinse them in clean cold water.

**Lift Off Corns!**

"Freezone" is Magic! Lift any Corn or Callus right off with fingers—No pain!



Drop a little Freezone on an aching corn, instantly that corn stops hurting, then you lift it right out. It doesn't hurt one bit. Yes, magic!

Why wait? Your druggist sells a tiny bottle of Freezone for a few

cents, sufficient to rid your feet of every hard corn, soft corn or corn between the toes, and calluses, without soreness or irritation. Freezone is the much talked of ether discovery of a Cincinnati genius.

**LARD SPECIAL****SATURDAY ONLY**

5 pound bucket ..... \$1.10  
10 pound bucket ..... \$2.20  
50 pound can ..... \$11.00

**THE CITY MARKET CO.**

Both Phones 37 East Main Street, Xenia, Ohio

**HERE'S WARMING, SOOTHING RELIEF  
FROM YOUR RHEUMATIC ACES**

For prompt relief from Rheumatism, Neuralgia, or Lumbago, you can depend on Sloan's Liniment. The warming, soothing, counter-irritant effect is the quickest way to overcome the inflammation, swelling or stiffness. A few drops go right to the sore part, draw the blood from the congested place and remove the cause of the ache. The great penetrating power of

Sloan's Liniment makes rubbing needless. It is easier and cleaner to use than plasters or poultices. It does not stain the skin or clog the pores. A bottle of Sloan's Liniment is all you need for quick rest and relief from the pains of sprains, bruises, backache, stiffness, and most forms of rheumatic twinges. Generous size bottles at druggists everywhere.

**Sloan's** **KILLS PAIN**  
The World's  
**Liniment**

SAYRE & HEMPHILL AND DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

**JAMESTOWN**

Through the generosity and thoughtfulness of the officials of the Methodist Episcopal church, Jamestown has been given what has been needed for a long time, a play ground. So now they have given the vacant lot adjoining the church for that purpose, and later in the spring, the Boy Scouts will probably be the ones who will convert it into just what they want for the amusement of the young people.

Owen Glass of the firm of the Glass grocery, has moved into the property he purchased from Homer Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cargill have taken rooms in the Baker property on East Xenia street, and as soon as their household goods arrive, they will be at home to their friends.

Mr. C. R. Benegar and family visited Harold Benegar in Springfield the first of the week.

Mrs. Kate Boteler has been confined to her home for some time suffering from the effects of a severe cold.

Mrs. James Finn and two little daughters, Dorothy and Ruth of Dayton, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Roberts.

Mr. James Tidd and family are moving from the farm to the home he bought of Orin Glass on East Xenia street.

Both the girls and boys basketball teams of the Jamestown high school will play the like teams of Ross township on Friday evening the 28th, at the centralized building in Ross township. This will be the first game staged with that school this season.

Mr. C. N. Smith is spending the week in Dayton with his daughter, Mrs. T. H. Riggs and family.

Mr. Homer Smith and Miss Bliss Shely were quietly married in their beautifully furnished home in Jamestown on Friday evening the 21st. The Rev. W. A. Cooper pastor of the M. E. Church performed the ceremony.

Only two other friends were present, Mr. and Mrs. John Perry. Mr. Smith is a very prosperous young farmer. Mrs. Smith has been connected with the Jamestown Journal for the past two years. Their many friends are now extending congratulations.

Mrs. A. G. Carpenter and Miss Mary Louise, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Carpenter, were in Dayton this week at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Harry Penfield.

Mr. J. H. Sanders was a mid-week visitor in Xenia.

The funeral services for the late Clarence E. Niel who passed away at his home in Sabina, were held on Tuesday afternoon at the home of his mother, Mrs. Mary Frye. Mr. J. A. Cargill, minister of the Church of Christ, had charge of the services. Interment was made in the Jamestown cemetery.

Mrs. Virginia Smith was a mid-week guest of friends in Washington, C. H.

Mrs. Margaret Sebring has returned to her home at Columbus after a visit of several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. J. Clarke Lackey and family.

Mrs. Catherine Dooley of Dayton has been spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. John Conroy.

Mr. Charles Mayo, Jamestown photographer, spent a couple of days in Xenia this week.

**Famous Kaiser Wilhelm Canal.**

The Kaiser Wilhelm canal was officially opened June 21, 1895. It is a little more than 61 miles in length, and for the easterly part of its course follows the line of the old Elder canal. It is 197 feet wide at the water surface and 72 feet feet at the bottom, with a depth of 29 feet 6 inches. The total cost of the canal was \$39,000,000.

**DON'T SPOIL YOUR CLOTHES**

Use Red Cross Ball Blue and keep them white as snow. All grocers.

For **COUGHS OR COLDS**  
There is Nothing Like  
**SHIFFMANN'S**  
**EXPECTORANT**  
DRUGGISTS REFUND MONEY IF  
NOT PERFECTLY SATISFACTORY

**SPECIAL for SATURDAY**

Fancy Winesaps, Roman Beauties, Greenings and Baldwin apples.

Grape Fruit, 5c and up. Finest Jumbo Bananas, always lower priced. Best quality Naval Oranges, 33c dozen and up.

Nice Celery, Head Lettuce, Kale, Green Onions, Cauliflower, Spinach, Pineapples.

Genuine Jersey Sweet Potatoes, Turnips.

**JACOB HYMAN**

49 WEST MAIN STREET, XENIA, OHIO.

**Apples Apples Apples**

Fancy Winesaps, Roman Beauties, Baldwins and Greenings.

Oranges—Sweetest on the Market.

Seedless—Florida and Navals

Grape Fruit—all sizes—5c and up.

Spinach, Kale, Iceberg and Leaf Lettuce, Horse radish, Rhubarb, Florida Celery.

Pineapples, fresh, Cocoanuts, Dates, and Nuts, Jumbo Bananas. All good things for Sunday dinner.

**ABE HYMAN**

11 WEST MAIN STREET, XENIA, OHIO.

**Many Smart Suit Modes****Greet Spring Shoppers**

There's a certain quaintness and youthful appeal about these new Spring Suits.

The styles are varied so that every woman will be sure to find something to her liking. The plain tailored style, Norfolk and Russian Blouse effects, and the Box Coat styles are new. Serges, Poiret Twill, Tricotine, Black and White Check and the fine hair line stripes are the materials favored while Navy and Pershing Tan are "the" colors. Exceptional values at

\$19.75, \$22.50, \$25.00  
\$27.50 and \$29.75

**Many and Varied Are the New  
Millinery Modes for Spring**

Clover is the woman who appreciates the importance of a really becoming Hat. If it is Exclusive and artistic, she knows she presents a distinctive appearance.

Raffia Braid Sailors in black and colors ..... \$7.50

Smart Sailors in Van Cack, Milan and Pineapple Braids ..... \$3.95 to \$8.50

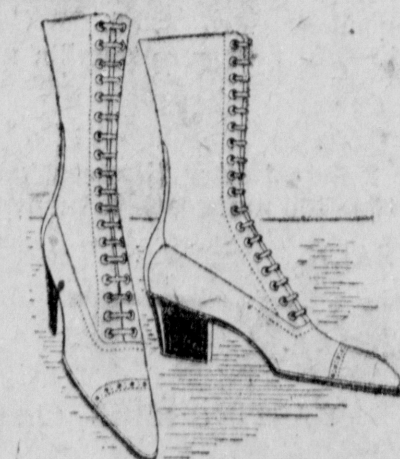
Lisere Braid and Feather Turbans, also Flower Turbans ..... \$5.95 to \$8.00

Large Milan and Leghorn Hats in black and white for the Little Tots ..... \$3.95 to \$5.50

**FOOTWEAR****Priced for Quick Selling**

Women's Grey Kid, Grey Ooze, Mat Kid, Mat Kid with Cloth Top, Values up to \$12.50, SPECIALLY PRICED ..... \$4.95

Misses and Children's Patent, Dull and Mat Kid Shoes, Values up to \$4.00, SPECIALLY PRICED ..... \$1.95



**Jobe Brothers Company**



**BLAINTOWN**

Friend here were sorry to hear of the sudden illness of Mr. Harve Jackson of near Wilmington. He was stricken with Bright's disease on the street at Wilmington, and in a serious condition. He is the father of Mrs. Al Hargrave of this place.

Mrs. Henry Thomas and Mrs. William Bethel were guests of Mrs. John Arehart at Washington Wednesday.

Miss Bertha O'Bryant is spending the week in Wilmington, the guest of Miss Gladys Wofford.

Friends here are very glad to know that Floyd Smith and son Larry, are improving after long illnesses following influenza.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bethel entertained at dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chaney and two sons, and Roy, Ruth and Owen Anderson.

Henry Thomas and family spent Sunday with Howard Miller and family.

**FATHER HELPING ALL HE CAN**

"Two of my sons are in the war. I am doing all I can to help my country, as well as Mayr's Wonderful Remedy, which I can thank for my present good health. I suffered 5 years with most serious stomach trouble and bloating. Am recommending it to all sufferers." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments including indigestion, appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. Sayre & Hemphill, and druggists everywhere. adv

**MRS. WATSON OF DETROIT**

Was Weak, Tired All the Time—Made Perfectly Well By Vinol

Detroit, Mich.—"I got into a weak, run-down condition, no appetite, tired all the time and headaches—but had to keep around and do my housework. I read about Vinol and tried it—within two weeks, I commenced to improve, and now have a splendid appetite and feel stronger and better in every way."—Mrs. John F. Watson.

There is no secret about Vinol—It owes its success in such cases to beef and cod liver peptone, iron and manganese peptonates and glycerophosphates, the oldest and most famous strength creating tonics. Sayre & Hemphill, and Druggists Everywhere.

P. S.—For itching, burning skin try Saxol Salve. Money back if it fails. adv

**DON'T SUFFER WITH NEURALGIA**

Use Soothing Musterole

When those sharp pains go shooting through your head, when your skull seems as if it would split, just rub a little Musterole on your temples and neck. It draws out the inflammation, soothes away the pain, usually giving quick relief.

Musterole is a clean, white ointment, made with oil of mustard. Better than a mustard plaster and does not blister.

Many doctors and nurses frankly recommend Musterole for sore throat, bronchitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, congestion, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of the back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frosted feet—colds of the chest (it often prevents pneumonia). It is always dependable.

20c and 60c jars; hospital size \$2.50.



**It Wards Off Croup**

Never put a croupy child to bed without giving a dose of

**FOLEY'S HONEY-TAR**

Mothers know it stops croup because it cuts the thick choking mucus, clears the throat of phlegm, stops the hoarse metallic cough, eases difficult breathing, gives quiet sleep.

Mrs. T. Neureuer, Eau Claire, Wis., writes: "Foley's Honey and Tar completely cured my boy of a severe attack of croup."

Mrs. Chas. Reitz, Allen's Mills, Pa., writes: "I have used Foley's Honey and Tar for the past eleven years, and would not be without it. It has saved me many a doctor's bill for colds and croup."

**Buy a Home**

On one of the best streets of Xenia, I have three homes for sale on North King St., one a double house of 12 rooms and two baths, at a very attractive price. Can give possession of one side April first.

**A. C. Garwood**  
ARCHITECT AND BUILDER

**ISSUE WARNING**

A warning to avoid giving contributions to a man in soldier uniform, who who claims to be collecting for a fund for crippled soldiers, has been issued by Chief of Police Canady.

The man is said to be presenting a card with Pershing's picture at each household and requests a donation for the fund. The man has never secured permission for such solicitation nor has he shown his authority for making such a collection. People are warned not to give him anything until he can be located by the police and his purpose can be verified.

**MARRIAGE LICENSES.**

Lucian Earl Richards, 28, and Elsie Mabel Moore, 21, both of Yellow Springs. Rev. C. P. Proudfoot.

Herbert Vernon Beal, 26, and Elsie Duncan, 20, both of Osborn. Rev. Clark.

**EVERY DOSE HELPS ME ASSERTS THIS DELCO EMPLOYEE**

**ELMER DIXON FOUND IN NERV. WORTH WONDERFUL RELIEF FROM THE PAINS OF SCIATICA.**

As the sale of this famous family tonic has risen to higher levels at Sayre & Hemphill's there has been a correspondent increase in the endorsements which their customers have given in its behalf. Give careful reading to the following:

Sayre & Hemphill—Was troubled with sciatic rheumatism for some time. Could not get up without my wife helping me. Was nervous and sleepless. Back nearly killed me. Bought a bottle of Nerv-Worth and started to take it. Have taken not quite one bottle and feel altogether like a new man. I CAN FEEL EVERY DOSE HELPING ME and I can certainly say that I have never found anything equal to Nerv-Worth in its wonderful results. I cannot boost it too highly. It has done the work for me.

**ELMER DIXON,**  
525 East Market St., Xenia.

Your dollar back at Sayre & Hemphill's, Xenia, if Nerv-Worth does not benefit you. W. F. Harper sells Nerv-Worth at Jamestown. adv

**Stock Sale**

At residence on Ann Coines farm, on Trebein and Read Hill road, 2 1-4 miles Southeast of Fairfield, will offer at public auction, on

**Wednesday, March 5th**  
Beginning at 10 a. m.


5 Extra Good Mules

5 Splendid Horses

32 head of Cattle

Fine Milch Cows,

Heifers, Steers and Yearling Calves.



40 head of Hogs.

**Russel Hoagland**

**GREAT WORK DONE BY THIS COMMITTEE**

During the war, the canteens operated by the American Committee for Devastated France fed from five to eight thousand soldiers daily.

The doctors and nurses of the unit were in special demand, the motor drivers were continually on the road, sleeping in their cars, and for days at a time not taking off their clothes.

At the Paris office, 15 Boulevard Lannes, one hundred refugees a day were clothed as they passed through the city to their temporary destination, and the new address of each refugee was recorded and the individual communicated with by the American Committee.

**Saving Oilcloth.**

Oilcloth when used to cover tables will last much longer if the tables first be covered with paper, well rubbed with machine oil, to keep the underside of the oilcloth moist.

Mrs. Austin's delicious Buckwheat cakes. Good, honest, three pound package—twenty-five cents.

**End of the Season Sale At ENGILMAN'S**

We marked down a lot of silk dresses from \$13.50 and \$11.50 to ..... \$9.95

1 lot of silk poplin and serge dresses marked down from \$7.50 to ..... \$4.95

Ladies gingham dresses and house dresses at \$1.98, \$2.99 and \$3.99 up to ..... \$5.00 values

Ladies serge, silk and silk poplin skirts at \$1.99, \$2.99, \$3.99, \$4.95 and \$5.95 up to ..... \$8.00 values

Ladies coats and suits at \$7.50, \$9.95, \$12.50, \$30.00 and \$40.00 coats at ..... \$15 and \$20

Ladies crepe kimonas at ..... \$1.45

Ladies union suits at 98c, \$1.24, reduced the \$1.99 suits to ..... \$1.69

A good quality dress gingham at per yard ..... 18c

Light and dark percales at per yard ..... 25c

36-inch flannelette and heavy fleeced goods up to 40c quality at per yard ..... 25c

Linen crash toweling at only per yard ..... 17c

Cotton crash toweling at per yard ..... 10c

Pillow cases, seconds at each ..... 15c

32-inch gingham in plaids, real 45c quality at per yard 30c

Plaid gingham reduced from 38c to per yard ..... 25c

Bleached muslin reduced from 25c to ..... 20c per yard

Extra heavy feather ticking, 65c quality, at ..... 49c per yard

Straw ticking, 35c quality at ..... 25c per yard

Ladies fine shoes at \$1.98, \$2.24, \$2.48, \$2.98, \$3.99, and \$4.95, worth \$1.00 more per pair

Men's shoes at \$2.49, \$2.98, W. L. Douglas' at \$3.50, \$4.00, \$5.00 and ..... \$6.00

1 lot of children's shoes, sizes 5 to 8, imperfect, worth \$1.50 per pair at ..... 95c per pair

Boys suits, sizes 7 to 17 at \$3.49, \$3.99, \$4.95 and \$5.95 to \$7.95 up to ..... \$12.00 values

Men's suits at \$9.95, \$11.00, \$13.50, \$16.00 up to \$25 values

Men's work and dress pants at \$1.99, \$2.49, \$2.99, \$3.99 and \$4.99, these are from 50c to \$1.00 per pair under the price

Men's work shirts at 74c, we also reduced some of the higher priced work shirts to ..... 99c

**LOOK AT ENGILMAN'S FOR YOUR BARGAINS**

**Public Sale**

Having sold our farm we will sell without reserve or limit on the farm known as the W. F. Wagner farm, 7 miles east of Dayton, 5 1-2 miles southeast of Fairfield and 3 miles northeast of Zimmerman on the Kemp Road, and 9 miles northwest of Xenia, on

**THURSDAY, MARCH 6, 1919**

Commencing at 10 o'clock A. M. the following property, to-wit:

**FIVE HEAD OF HORSES**—One bay mare, 5 years old, weight 1300 lbs.; 1 bay horse, 5 years old, weight 1300 lbs.; 1 bay horse, 6 years old, weight 1500 lbs.; 1 bay horse, 7 years old, weight 1600 lbs.; and 1 bay mare 5 years old, weight 1300 lbs. These horses are all sound good workers and must be seen to be appreciated.

**THIRTY HEAD OF CATTLE**—One Holstein cow with calf by side; 1 Shorthorn cow with calf by her side; 3 good cows will be fresh by day of sale; 1 Jersey cow fresh; 4 good cows will be fresh latter part of March; 1 Brindle cow giving good flow of milk; 1 Roan cow giving good flow of milk; 2 yearling Red Poleheifers; 1 good Shorthorn bull 18 months old, 1 Black Pole bull 14 months old; 1 Red Pole bull 6 months old and 10 good fat steers.

**SIXTY-TWO HEAD OF HOGS**—Twelve age brood sows due to farrow in March and April—7 are good Chester Whites and 5 are good Poland Chinas; 14 good Poland China sows weighing about 125 lbs.; 35 good fat pigs weighing from 50 to 75 lbs. each and 1 good Chester White boar.

**FARMING IMPLEMENTS**—Good hand made wagon; hay ladders with hog rack; good two horse stock wagon; 2 good Clover Leaf manure spreaders; good Champion 6-ft. cut binder; Deering 5-ft. cut mower good as new; Deering hay tedder good as new; J. I. Case corn planter with 90 rods of wire; 2 Case riding corn plows; Case riding breaking plow; Osborn fertilizer drill; Hoosier 8-8 grain drill; Oliver 4-inch grain seed and fertilizer drill; Hoosier 8-8 grain drill; Oliver 3-horse breaking plow; hay fork and rope; some 6-8-ks; single and double trees and other articles too numerous to mention.

**HARNESS**—Six sides of good leather tug harness; 2 sides of good chain tug harness; 2 sets of good buggy harness; collars; bridles; lines; halters, etc.

**FEED**—About 1000 bushels of corn; about 200 bushels of good rye; about 4 tons of good clover hay; about 6 tons of good mixed hay about 50 bales good timothy hay, and about 10 bushels of Little Clover Seed.

**MISCELLANEOUS**—Hog troughs; feed cooker; tank heater; hog fountains; grind stone; lawn mower and good force pump.

**HOUSEHOLD GOODS**—Good heating stove; a lot of good carpet and other household goods.

A number of good Chickens, about 12 bushels good Potatoes, about 10 cords good wood.

**TERMS OF SALE**—All sums of \$10.00 and under cash. On all sums over \$10.00 a credit of 9 months will be given by purchaser giving a note with two approved securities. 4 per cent. off for cash on all sums over \$10.00.

**WM. F. WAGNER & SON**  
O. A. ZINK, and J. R. PEASE, Auctioneers.  
A. D. KENDIG & SON, Clerks.  
LUNCH BY LADIES OF ALEYS CHURCH.

**TWENTY YEARS AGO**

Mrs. U. E. Clark entertained her Sabbath School class of young men at her home on West Second street last night in a delightful manner.

The Grice restaurant on Green street, is going to be beautifully fitted up throughout with new fixtures, new carpets, etc.

Mr. Earl Eavey, who was taken suddenly ill while on his way home the other night, is now much better.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Perfect of Fort Wayne, returned home this morning after a pleasant visit here.

**Look closer at the clothes than you do at the price. See what we furnish at \$40 and \$45 up**

**C. A. Weaver**

**FAMOUS CHEAP STORE**

**Save Some Money!**

**NEW & FRESH ASSORTMENT OF CHOCO. LATES 4 oz. 10c**

**Reductions in General Merchandise**

**Friday and Saturday ONLY**

**CHILDREN'S KIDDY CARS \$1.25 The All Year Toy**

<b>TABLE DAMASK</b> Special Value 59c yard 54-inch wide	<b>WELSBACK GAS MANTLES</b> 3 for 25c upright and inverted	<b>FLOOR MAPS</b> 14 oz. Cotton String 60c	See our display of <b>INCUBATORS BROODERS, etc.</b> We demonstrate
<b>O. N. T. SPOOL COTTON, 5c spool</b>	<b>CEDAR POLISH</b> 10c bottle Regular 25c size	<b>HOSE CONNECTIONS AND GAS BURNERS</b>	<b>HORSE BLANKETS, ROBES, Etc.</b> at reduced prices
<b>O. N. T. CROCHET</b> 10c ball	<b>METAL POLISHING CLOTH</b> 5c	<b>Complete line of PAINT and WHITE-WASH BRUSHES FLOOR BRUSH</b> 14-in \$1.75 Value \$2.50	<b>GRANITE FOOT TUBS</b> 89c Regular \$1.25 value A few of 'em
<b>SANITARY RUBBER SHEETING</b>	<b>TOILET PAPER</b> 3 for 25c	<b>MOUSE TRAPS</b> 10 for 10c NEST EGGS 6 for 10c MATCHES Big box 5c TAR SOAP Bar 5c	Reed's copper bottom guaranteed anti-rust
<b>CHILDREN'S DRESSES AND APRONS</b> on display	<b>CREPE TISSUE</b> 9 oz. rolls	<b>BOYS' STOCKINGS</b> 25c pair	<b>WASH BOILER</b> \$4.25

**Famous Cheap Store**

LAMPS GAS GOODS WE SELL EVERYTHING ELEC BULBS, ETC.

**Public Sale**

The farm having been sold, to settle a partnership we will sell to the highest bidder, on what is known as the W. M. Barber farm, located just at the corporation limits of Cedarville, on the Clifton and Cedarville pike on

**Saturday, March 1st, 1919**  
commencing at 10:30 o'clock:

**10--Head of Horses--10**

Consisting of one team of Bay Mares, coming 5 years old, wt. 3600, in foal to Townsley's Shire horse, well mated, sound and good workers. One black mare, coming 5 years old, wt. 1700, sound and good worker, in foal to Winter's Percheron horse. Team of Gray Mares, wt. 3350, in foal to Townsley's Shire horse, 8 and 9 years old, fairly well mated, sound and extra good workers and pullers, both quiet and good to hitch colts with; Black Team (Mare and Gelding), mare 8 years old, wt. 1575, will work any where, Gelding, wt. 1700, coming 6 years old and a good worker. (This is an excellent farm team). General Purpose Bay Horse, 13 years old, wt. 1100, excellent driver and good worker and sound; Fancy sound Driving Mare coming 4 years old, broke to drive, well bred and a good one; Good Road Horse, 8 years old, quiet and safe for any one to drive, and can step in 3 minutes on the road

**23--HEAD OF CATTLE--23**

20 head of High Grade Angus fat steers, wt. 1050 to 1100. Black Cow, 4 years old and a grand milker and will freshen in April; Registered Jersey Cow, will freshen by day of sale; Jersey Heifer, 2 years old, giving two gallons of milk a day and a good one.

**100 Head of Duroc Jersey Hogs**

12 pure bred tried brood sows. 8 pure bred gilts. These sows and gilts are bred to farrow in March and early in April. 1 two-year-old Pure Bred Duroc Male hog eligible to register. 79 shoats weighing from 90 to 100 pounds. These hogs all have been immuned by Dr. Kennon, using Pitman Moore Serum.

12A-shaped Hog Coops with bottoms. 3 Cattle Feed Boxes. Galvanized Hog Fountain. A lot of Hog Troughs. 60 White Oak Seasoned Posts. 50 rods of Hog Fence. 100 shocks of Good Bundled Fodder. 100 bu (more or less) good Seed Oats. 12 tons of good Mixed Hay. 15 bu. Little Red Re-cleaned Clover Seed. Some corn.

**FARMING IMPLEMENTS**

Consisting of Brown Wagon with bed. 2 Feed Wagons. Oliver Riding Breaking Plow. Oliver 14-inch Walking Plow, good as new. 2 one-horse Cultivators. Buckeye Riding Cultivator, New Idea Manure Spreader, almost as good as new. Sled. 2 Good piano box, rubber tired buggies. 1 buckboard. Seed sower. 170 feet pure manilla new rope, 7-8 in., 125 ft. pure Manila new rope 5-8 in.

**HARNESS**

Two sides lead harness. Two sides Breeching Harness. 2 Sets Buggy Harness, good as new. Collars, Lines. Bridles, Halters, and many other article too numerous to mention.

**TERMS MADE KNOWN ON DAY OF SALE.**

**KENNON & WATT**

MEADE and WILSON, Auctioneers. HASTING BROS., Clerks.

Lunch by Spencer.

**TELEPHONE YOUR WANT ADS**



## When the Skin Seems Ablaze With Itching and Burning

**With Itching and Burning**

There's just one thing to do. If your skin seems ablaze with the fiery burning and itching of Eczema, real and lasting relief can only be obtained by the use of S.S.S. the proper treatment is through the blood.

S.S.S. has been on the market for fifty years during which time it has

near and lasting relief can only come from treatment that goes below the surface—that reaches down to the very source of the trouble. So-called skin-diseases come from a disordered condition of the blood, and search far and near, and you

On account of poor health, we have rented our farm, so will sell at public sale, on the premises known as the Maxwell farm, located 1 mile southwest of Bellbrook,  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile west of the Bellbrook and Waynesville pike, 8 miles north of Waynesville, and 12 miles south-east of Dayton, on

**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5, 1919**  
beginning at 9 o'clock, A. M., the following property, to-wit:

**6—HEAD OF HORSES—6**  
These are all good work horses.

**40—HEAD OF CATTLE—40**

Including 11 head of registered Guernsey cattle. Herd headed by Bull, Golden Tom, No. 34158, sired by Queens Governor, No. 24314, Dam Kittys Cherry, No. 38294, Madges Governor of Homestead, No. 17447, Queen of Round Rock, No. 18608, Violets Boxer, No. 12802, Golden Kitty of Lewiston, No. 23603, Imported Governor of the Chene A. R., No. 10563. These are a few of the many names of the blood lines of this bull, which we can show on day of sale. Imported Merton Hay Breeze, No. 10563, New York State Fair, Royal Gaurdon, Dan Clifford Hay

2nd, No. 32466, sired by Merton Hay Breese. She is carrying her 7th calf; out of the six calves, there was only one male calf. All of her heifers are as good or better than she proved; one of them made a test of 7:2, giving 5 gallons of milk a day. Her own test being 6:4. All of her heifers, except one, proved to be heifer breeders.

June Breese, No. 76991, sired by Duke of Dayton, dam Mpn. Merton Hay Breese, 2nd.

Erter, June, No. 59998, sired by Duke of Dayton, dam Mpn. Mer-

May-Breeze, No. 78203, sired by Duke of Dayton, dam Imp.  
 Peace Breeze, No. 76092, sired by Lord of Green Meadow, dam Imp.  
 Merton Hay Breeze, 2nd.

**2-YEARLING HEIFERS—2**

May-Breeze, No. 78811, sired by Charmante's Rose King, 2nd., dam  
 Imp. Merton Hay Breeze, 2nd.  
 Emerald Breeze, No. 79812, sired by Charmante's Rose King, 2nd.,  
 dam, Eastern Breeze.

Two summer heifer calves from these cows, also 1 yearling male calf and 1 summer male calf. The papers for these calves have not been returned to us, but will have them by day of sale.

Balance of herd consists of 12 grade milk cows. There will be six or more fresh by day of sale, 3 2-year-old heifers, 7 yearling heifers, 6 summer calves, 1 fat steer. This is an extra good herd, of grades testing high in butter fat.

**FARM IMPLEMENTS**

One Deering 7 ft. wheat blnder, tongue truck; 1 Deering corn blnder, 1 Deering 5 ft. mowing machine, 1 Ohio self dump hay rake, 2 8-shovel riding Oliver corn plows, 1 set of discs, will fit any Oliver riding corn plow; 1 Janesville 16 in. riding breaking plow, 1 2-horse Imperial walking breaking plow, with jointer; 2 1-horse cultivators, 1 high wheel, low down, International manure spreader; 1 spring tooth harrow, 1 50-tooth steel frame harrow, 1 50-tooth wood frame harrow.

1 Farmers' Fried corn planter, 1 Troy wagon, 1 hay rigging, 1 enclosed spring wagon. The most of the implements have been used only a short time. Harness—4 sides lead harness, 2 sides breeching harness, 1 set 1-horse wagon harness, 1 set heavy surrey harness, 1 set buggy harness, lines, collars, bridles, etc.

**BLACKSMITH TOOLS.**

Anvil tongs, vice, a lot of heading tools, Root's Acme blower, capable of handling 2 fires, 1 No. 16 Western, Chief drill press, drills

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saddler's horse, knives, bicycle tools, spoke wrenches, valve wrenches, cone plier, plugging tools, plugs, 1 Liggett's dry powder gun for spraying.

**FEED.**

500 bu. of good, solid corn in crib, raised from home-grown seed. 3 tons clover hay, 5 tons Alfalfa hay, 3 acres fodder.

Miscellaneous log chains, double trees, single trees, a lot of new open-ribbed clevises, shackle-picks 1 set of blacks, wagon jacks, 1

single barrel, breech loading, 12 gauge shot gun, 1 Singer sewing machine, for sewing leather and celluloid in auto curtains, etc.; 1 washing machine, hand or power; 1 70-egg Robert Essex incubator, 1 25-gallon barrel churn, 3 10-gallon milk cans, 1 10-gallon gasoline can, and many other articles.

Terms—Liberal; made known on day of sale.

**DRISKEI BROS**

**DRISKEL BROS.**  
Auctioneers—John R. Pease, John H. Wright. Clerk—R. H. Hopkins.  
**Lunch Stand Let to R. H. Hopkins.**  
P. O. Address, Driskel Bros., Waynesville, O. R. R. No. 1.

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I, will sell at Public Auction, at my residence, 1 1-2 miles east of  
 Amberton and Burlington Pike

**Y, MARCH 4th, 1919**  
Commencing at 10 o'clock.

**F MULES--2**  
sold this Spring.

## Head of Horses - 2

years old, one brown horse,  
years old, wt. 1300.


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**HEAD OF CATTLE—2**

One cow due to calf in the middle of  
1, one heifer one year old.

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HEAD OF HOGS 20



—HEAD OF HOGS—30  
 10 will weigh 100 lbs. 10 will weigh  
 60 lbs.

log bolsters. 2 Imperial plows, 1 sulky plow. 1 spike tooth harrow.

g tooth harrow, 1 corn plow, wheat drill, manure spreader, two  
e with check row, 1 Avery corn planter. These planters a  
1 McCormick corn binder. Storm buggy, good as new.  
reaching harness, 4 sides of lead harness, 1 set of single buggy  
uggy harness, one buggy pole, collars, bridles, lines.

IN A-1 condition, and if not sold before day of sale.  
 IS MADE KNOWN ON DAY OF SALE.  
 EY, Auctioneers. **W V Lock**

the New Burlington Ladies' Aid Society.



## WOMEN IN BUSINESS

Woman's power in America is well illustrated by the thousands of women who entered almost every line of business to replace men who were drafted during the war. Health proved their strongest asset. Many women, however, developed weak, nervous conditions and could not stand the strain of a business life. Such women should remember there is one tried and true remedy in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which for 45 years has been restoring health and strength to the women of



Manhattan SHIRTS

Manhattan Madras Shirts Come Home From the Laundry With FLYING Colors.

You'll notice we've emphasized the word "flying"—don't mistake it for "fleeing" for these shirts are absolutely fast color.

But the beauty isn't altogether in the way they wash. When ON they have every appearance of a costly silk—the stamina of a truck horse, and the fit of a dove-tail, so the money you invest is equally distributed among the things you like about a shirt.

25 dozen new Spring Shirts are ready whenever you are.

\$2.50 to \$10.00

## The Criterion

A store for Dad and the Boys  
22 S. Detroit Xenia, Ohio

## The Whisper That Comes in the Night

The Glorious Knowledge Women Gain When a Wonderful Thought Steals Over Them.



Happiness in its most thrilling degree comes to woman with the thought of possessing a baby. Every woman in the joy of coming motherhood should prepare her system for the unusual strain. Three generations have found the tried and reliable preparation, Mother's Friend, of the greatest help at such a time. By its daily use throughout the period, the skin of the abdomen is made soft and elastic, expanding muscles relax when baby arrives, and pain at the birth is in this way avoided. The inflammation of breast glands is not so common. Obtain from your druggist, by all means, this great preparation which science has perfected for so many years to expectant mothers. Write the Bradford Regulator Company, Dept. D, Lamar Building, Atlanta, Georgia, for their helpful and interesting Mother's Friend Book, and begin the use of Mother's Friend. It is for external use, is absolutely safe, and wonderfully effective. And remember, there is nothing to take the place of MOTHER'S FRIEND.



Don't worry about that skin trouble  
**Resinol**  
will heal it

Only those who have really suffered from malignant skin disorders can understand the mental and physical discomfort that such afflictions bring. People avoid you—your best friends are ashamed to be seen with you—and in general, your life is made really miserable.

Yet it is a consolation to know that even serious and long established troubles of this kind are generally overcome promptly and completely by the use of Resinol Ointment.

Quicker results as a whole may be obtained by first bathing the affected parts with Resinol Soap and hot water. Resinol Ointment and Resinol Soap may be purchased at all druggists.

## MASQUERADE DANCE IS HAPPY EVENT

Masqueraders mingled with those who were not masked at the Elks masquerade dance held in their club rooms Thursday night, and at which about 75 couples enjoyed themselves.

The dance was easily one of the nicest that has been given this winter, not excluding previous affairs fostered by the Elks. While it was a masquerade affair there were many who came without being masked but lost not the carnival spirit that prevailed.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake and coffee were served in the banquet hall of the Lodge after ten o'clock. Excellent music was furnished by the Mullen orchestra of Dayton, which made its debut in this city Thursday night. Several moonlight dances featured the dancing program, and there were cards for those who didn't care to dance.

## STOMACH ILLS NO LONGER BOTHER FORMER FIREMAN

W. F. MAHER, OF LOCUST ST. GAVE ALL THE CREDIT TO NERV-WORTH.

Mr. W. F. Maher furnishes a typical Nerv-Worth case. Having bought Nerv-Worth at the Jenkins store, Dayton, it was no stranger to him in Xenia and this is what he could knowingly say about it:

Sayre & Hemphill—Was very nervous and run down from trouble with a bad stomach. I suffered extreme pain after eating. Bloating and had gas on my stomach. Couldn't sleep at night and would wake at all hours suffering from pain.

Bought my first Nerv-Worth in Dayton, and now, after taking only two bottles my stomach no longer bothers me. I sleep fine now and have no more gas or bloating. FEEL LIKE A NEW MAN. I can certainly recommend Nerv-Worth.

W. F. MAHER, Formerly Railroad Fireman, 20 Locust St., Xenia, O.

Your dollar back at Sayre & Hemphill's drug store, Xenia, if Nerv-Worth does not benefit you. W. F. Harper sells Nerv-Worth at Jamestown, Ind.

## NEW DANCING CLASS WILL OPEN SHORTLY

The new class in dancing recently organized here under the direction of Mrs. Kohl, talented dancing instructor, will open for the season next week. Many applications have been made for this course, and all desiring to enter are requested to call for information right away, as the classes are nearly completed. Bell phone 104-R. 2-28

## TELLS A SECRET

Manufacturer of Famous Medicine Tells Ingredients, So Public Can Appreciate Pure, Reliable Medicine.

Many people fear to take medicine to check and abort colds, cure coughs, catarrh, etc. This fear is groundless with all the products of The Blackburn Products Co., Dayton, Ohio. Not one contains opiates, narcotics or harmful drugs. Metho-Laxene, for coughs, colds, catarrh and all distress following a cold, is a compound of Wild Cherry, Tolu, Cascaro, Grindelia, Menthol Ammonium Chloride, and alcohol sufficient to preserve and keep in solution.

Every ingredient is in concentrated form and the medicine is so strong that only ten-drop doses are to be taken in the "raw" state. But the ideal way is to make into syrup by emptying a 21-22 oz. bottle of Metho-Laxene into a pint bottle and then fill the bottle with granulated sugar syrup, made by dissolving a pint of sugar in a half pint of boiling water. It is said by thousands that this makes a most effective home treatment for all cold troubles. The manufacturer guarantees it to please or money back. Sold by all good druggists. adv

## DAYTON MARKETS

GRAIN.  
Wheat—No. 1, \$2.20 per bushel.  
Rye—\$1.20 per bushel.  
Oats—60c. per bushel.  
Corn—\$2.00.

HOGS.  
Hogs—receipts 4 cars; market steady.

Choice heavies .....\$17.65@17.75  
Select butchers and packers .....\$17.00@17.75  
Light Yorkers .....\$14.50@15.00  
Heavy Yorkers .....\$17.00@17.25  
Pigs .....\$12.00@13.00  
Choice fat sows .....\$16.00@16.50  
Common to fair sows .....\$15.00@16.00  
Stags .....\$10.00@12.00

CATTLE.

Cattle—Receipts 15 cars, market 50c@1 lower.  
Fair to good shippers .....\$14.00@15.00  
Fair to medium butchers .....\$10.00@12.00  
Good to choice butchers .....\$12.00@12.00  
Good to choice heifers .....\$12.00@13.00  
Fair to good heifers .....\$9.00@11.00  
Choice fat cows .....\$9.00@10.00  
Fair to good fat cows .....\$7.00@8.00  
Calves .....\$12.00@15.00  
Bologna cows .....\$4.00@6.00  
Butcher bulls .....\$9.50@10.50  
Bologna bulls .....\$7.00@8.50  
Sheep and Lambs—Receipts light, market steady.  
Sheep .....\$7.00@8.00  
Lambs .....\$10.00@12.00

## XENIA MARKETS

XENIA GRAIN AND PRODUCE

Corn, per bu .....\$1.40  
Oats, per bu .....65c  
Wheat, per bushel .....\$2.15  
Rye, per bushel .....\$1.40  
Mixed Timothy Hay .....\$21.00  
Mixed Hay .....\$21.00  
Clover Hay .....\$18.00  
Clover Hay .....\$17.00  
Straw .....\$5.00  
Eggs, wholesale .....25c  
Eggs, retail .....35c  
Butter, retail .....40c  
Oleomargarine, retail .....40c  
Oleomargarine, wholesale .....35c  
Spring chickens, wholesale .....21c  
Spring chickens, retail .....28c

XENIA LIVE STOCK

Corrected daily by Faulkner & St John.

HOGS.  
Hogs, 165 lbs. up .....\$16.50  
Light hogs .....\$12.00@15.00  
Sows .....\$14.00

CATTLE.

Stags .....\$10.00@12.00  
Good heifers .....\$7.00@7.50  
Shipping steers .....\$9.00@10.00  
Cows, fat .....\$5.00@6.50  
Bologna cows .....\$4.50@5.00  
Veal calves .....\$14.00@15.00  
Spring lambs .....\$15.00  
Sheep .....\$6.00@8.00

XENIA LIVE STOCK

Corrected daily by Mullen Bros. and Peterson.

HOGS.  
Hogs .....\$16.50  
Sows .....\$15.00  
Stags .....\$11.00

CATTLE.

Shipping steers .....\$9.00@10.00  
Butcher steers & heifers .....\$7.00@8.00  
Cows, fat .....\$6.00@6.50  
Bologna cows .....\$4.00@5.00  
Veal calves .....\$14.00@15.00  
Spring lambs .....\$15.00  
Sheep .....\$6.00@8.00

SHEEP AND LAMBS

Sheep .....\$8.00@10.00  
Lambs .....\$12.00@14.00

## PEPTIRON IS GOOD

This Real Iron Tonic Combines Merit Economy and "Pep."

Made from a formula that uses iron in most digestible form, pepsin and gentian, great stomach tonics, nux and celery, the best vegetable remedies for the nerves, and also manganese and other valuable nutrients—there's no question of the value of Peptiron as a blood builder and strengthener.

The larger size of Peptiron contains enough for a full month's treatment, while other so-called iron preparations contain only one-half or less.

The "pep" or promptness, with which Peptiron does its work is noted by everyone who takes it.

From the first dose the system responds to the treatment, and you realize you are at last using a medicine that begins right, continues and ends right. Better get a bottle of Peptiron today. Take two Peptiron after each meal—then comes good blood, good appetite, and—pep. adv

## EAST END NEWS

Mrs. Polly Grievous hereby extends thanks to the members of Middle Run Baptist church and friends for the liberal donations given her Sunday night. She is still confined to her bed and is still poorly.

The Effie Carter W. C. T. U. will hold Frances Willard Jubilee Memorial services at the East Main street Christian church Sunday, March 2nd, at 3 p. m. This Jubilee Memorial is to celebrate the foresight of the culmination of a cause initiated by a woman who loved humanity, and which will prove one of the greatest blessings to mankind, although there are many who do not think so at present. The public is invited to attend.

We wish to thank the many friends for their timely assistance and words of cheer and consolation in the recent bereavement through which I have come, the death of my father, James Stovall. The Masonic Lodge, Zion Baptist church and pastor, Undertaker Holmes and all who so kindly and affectionately administered to us during the last sad rites. Mrs. Mary A. J. Everett and Son.

Mrs. Lavada Mack and two sons, Masters Ennis and Joseph, spent the week-end in Springfield, with relatives. Sunday they met her two brothers, Corporal Hobart Johnson and Private Hollis Johnson of the 372nd regiment of infantry, who had seen eleven months of active service in France. They both had been wounded, but have recovered and were in the parade, which was from 8:30 a. m. to 10:00 a. m., after which they were given a grand reception by the chamber of commerce. This celebration was the first official welcome home to be given in Springfield to any troops who have fought in France. New York and Cleveland had also given them a grand reception. The troops of the 372nd regiment covered themselves with glory in active duty in the champagne, for which they were decorated by Vice Admiral Weyman, the French Commander of the Port of Brest, with the Croix de Guerre.

The other engagements where they fought were Arconne Forest, Vauquois and Hills No 3 and 4 in the Verdun Sector. They left Springfield immediately after the banquet, for Columbus, where they were to be given a reception, after which they were to go to Camp Sherman from which place they are to be mustered out.

## SPECIAL DAYS FOR COURTING

Four Sundays in Month of November Devoted by Hollanders to Process of Matchmaking.

It is the usual thing with the Dutch to compress matchmaking in all its branches within the month of November, an exchange says. The four Sundays of the month mark the four stages of the courtship, and each is known by its individual name as "Review," "Decision," "Purchase" and "Possession" Sunday. On Review Sunday in a village the whole population lingers after church while the young people parade about, but shyly forbear to speak. Decision Sunday is a long step forward. After the service each bachelor approaches the maiden of his choice with a ceremonious bow. He must be shrewd, for from her manner of responding he is to judge whether it is the part of wisdom or of danger to make further advances. If the test of Decision Sunday is safely passed the suitor waits a week and on Purchase Sunday calls upon the parents of his beloved. With their approval he may appear on Possession Sunday as a prospective bridegroom. November is chosen as the fittest month of the year, because the hardest work of farming is over and the comfortable time of gathering the harvest is the merriest season of all.

## "The Sower."

The night is come, spreading its gray wings over the earth; the sower marches with rhythmic step, flinging the grain into the furrow. He is gaunt, cadaverous, thin, under his livery of poverty; yet it is a life which his large hand sheds. He who has nothing scatters, with a superb gesture, the bread of the future broadcast over the earth. On the other side of the slope a last ray of the sun shows a pair of oxen at the end of their furrow. This is the only light of the picture, which is bathed in shadow, and presents to the gaze, under a clouded sky, nothing but newly plowed earth. There is something great, of the grand style, in this figure, with its violent gesture, its proud ruggedness, which seems to be painted with the very earth that the sower is planting.—Theophile Gautier.

## For Acid Stomach, Indigestion, Gas

Instant Relief when your meals sour and upset the stomach—Indigestion Pain stops at once!



No waiting! The moment you eat a tablet or two, all stomach distress ends. Magic! Pleasant, quick relief.

Costs little—All drug stores. Buy a box!



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## Officers' Dress Boot

Dark tan calf skin with plain round toe, stout single sole with rawhide slip sole. Very dressy and comfortable ..... \$8.50 the pair

## Frazer's Shoe Store

## City Market Co.

EXTRA SPECIALS

For Saturday

Fresh Country Sausage .....25c  
Ideal Picnic Hams .....28c  
Smoked Jowl .....27c

Smoked Sausage and Bologna .....25c  
Wieners and Franks .....25c  
Fresh Ground Hamburger .....25c  
Fancy Boiling Beef .....25c  
Fancy Veal Chops .....35c  
Fancy Veal Stew .....25c  
Churngold Oleo .....40c  
Purity Nut Oleo .....35c  
Dairy Oleo .....32c

ALL OTHER MEATS AT LIVING PRICES

Both Phones 37 East Main Street, Xenia, Ohio.

## "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin"

"Bayer Cross" on Tablets.



True Aspirin! The "genuine."

## SUCCESSOR TO QUININE

"Proved safe by millions."



Buy "Bayer" packages.

## For Colds, Grippe, Influenzal Colds

No Discomfort! No Head-buzzing! No Distress!

Millions of people take "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" as the best means to prevent as well as to overcome Colds, Grippe and Influenzal Colds—being far more efficient than quinine. Besides relief comes without discomfort or distress.

## "The Master of Colds"—Dependable!

Adults—Take one or two "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" with water. If necessary, repeat dose three times a day, after meals.

## "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin"

Buy only the original "Bayer packages." Look for the safety "Bayer Cross" always. 20 cent package—also larger packages.

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## Xenia Meat Co.

J. F. GEGNER

CASH AND CARRY—SAVE THE DIFFERENCE

Best Steak, lb. ....30c  
Boiled Meat, lb. ....22c  
Best Roasts, lb. ....25c  
Hamburger lb. ....25c  
Weiners, Bologna and Smoked Sausage .....25c  
Purity Nut Oleomargarine, lb. ....33c

ALL OTHER MEATS IN PROPORTION. These Prices Every Day in the Week.

## Extra Specials FOR SATURDAY

SHREDDED WHEAT, 2 boxes .....25c

"Try a few of these priced right" specials and you will certainly be convinced that "Weir's" cash grocery IS THE STORE TO BUY HERE-AFTER.

"Kruks" Thrift bread, 2 loaves .....15c  
All Good and Purity Oleomargarine, lb. ....30c  
Purity Nut Oleomargarine, lb. ....34c  
Extra Fancy Dried Peaches, lb. ....19c  
Fancy Prunes, lb. 15c, 2 for .....25c  
Grandma's Washing Powder, 2 pkgs. ....9c  
Fancy Navy Beans, lb. ....10 1-2c  
Seeded Raisins, pkg. ....11c  
Seedless Raisins, Sunkist Brand, pkg. ....13c  
Aunt Jemima Buckwheat and Pancake flour, pkg. ....14c  
Pink Salmon, can .....19c  
Extra fine Red Salmon, can .....29c  
General Jackson Canned Pumpkin, large can .....14c  
Large Can Fancy Table Peaches, can .....25c  
Large Can Fancy Apples, can .....22c  
Large Can Kraut, can .....15c  
Best Grade Hominy, 2 large cans .....25c  
Alice pork and beans, 2 cans .....25c  
Two cans Red Beans .....24c  
New Orleans Baking Syrup, can .....10c  
Pennant Maple Syrup .....18c, 25c and 50c  
Karo Syrup, light or dark, can .....15c  
Large can Fancy Sweet Potatoes, can .....25c  
Vicks Salve, jar .....25c  
Liquid Veneer, bottle .....20c  
Jersey Corn Flakes, 2 pkgs. ....25c  
Red Marrowfat and Pinto Beans, 3 lbs. ....25c  
Baby Lima and Large Lima Beans, lb. ....15c  
Fancy Rice, 2 lbs. ....25c  
Best Quality Catsup, bottle .....14c  
Apple Jelly, 2 glasses .....15c  
Blue Ribbon Toilet Paper, best grade .....10c  
Fresh, crisp crackers, lb. ....19c  
Olives, plain bottle .....11c  
Snider's, Krugs and Springfield wrapped bread, loaf .....9c  
Fels Naptha and P and G soaps, bar .....7c  
Clean Easy, per bar .....5c  
Ivory Soap Flakes per pkg. ....9c  
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